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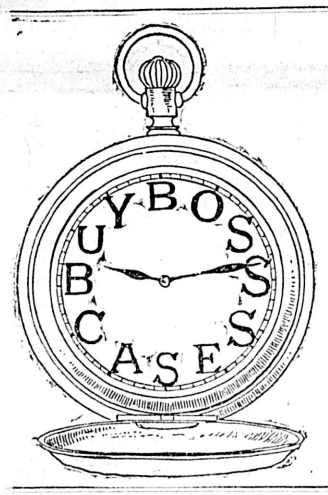

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W. P. SAYWARD.
September 22, 1890. oc10 1m

NOTICE is hereby given that 30 days after date I intend to apply to the Honourable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway along a line described as follows:—Commencing at the intersection of Cordova Bay Road with the north boundary of Section 121, Lake District; thence in a westerly direction following the north boundary of Sections 12 , 27 and 48, Lake District to the Saanich Road.

M. MORRISSEY.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 9th, 1890. oc10 1m

AUCTION SALE

I am instructed to sell by Public Auction at the store, Store street, on

Friday Next, the 10th Inst.

AT 11 A. M.

Buckboard, set single harness, 2 horses, safe; stoves—cooking, hall and parlor, furniture, bedding, blankets, lounges, mirrors, pictures, mattresses, tinware, extension walnut table, sideboard, tables, chairs, crockery, cross-cut saws, garden tools, harpoons, sugar, tea, canned beef, peas and a quantity of other goods.

ALSO ONE COW.

W. R. CLARKE, Auctioneer.
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NOTICE.

I, JOHN H. WOOD, of The Club stables, Yates street, hereby give notice that I am not liable for any debts contracted by Edwin Bevan, as keeper of the Club Livery Stables in Yates street in this city, prior to October 1st, 1890, or otherwise.

JOHN H. WOOD.
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B. C. BREWING COMPANY.

AT A MEETING of the promoters of the B. C. Brewing Co., held on the 8th inst., it was agreed that the clause in the prospectus providing that certain shares be donated to them for their services and expenses, be expunged; also that the promoters shall hand over to the shareholders all documents now in their possession, and that the future conduct of the company's business be left in the shareholders hands.

A general meeting of the shareholders and parties interested will be held on the 13th inst., at 8 p. m., at the office of Walker, Pemberton & Dumbleton, for the purpose of taking into consideration the above agreement; to elect officers and to transact other business.

J. C. BAKER, Secretary, pro tem.
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Second one, $557, three months after date, Nov. 25, 890.
Third one, $198 88, six months after date, Aug. 25, 1890.
Made in favor of George Everton, of Chilliwhack, B.C., and payable at the Bank of B. C., New Westminster, as value has not been received for them.

(Signed) SILAS FADER, Chilliwhack.
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EUROPEAN GOSSIP.

Money Tight in London, Owing Chiefly to the Bank of England's High Rate on Loans.

Moral Suasion for the London Dockers —End of the Irish Members' Prosecution.

The Importation of Dutch Cattle into England Prohibited—More of the Guards.

MONEY VERY TIGHT IN LONDON.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The trouble on the London stockmarket, which has culminated in a panic, is owing chiefly to scarcity of money. The market had borrowed more than the amount coming to it from the quarterly dividend; and the Bank of England had added to the scarcity by its policy of high rates on loans. Certain securities, in which British investors placed a good deal of faith, have shrivelled very much of late, South African and mining shares; and this has brought about a sympathetic hesitation to invest in other stock—even those that are not in any sense of a doubtful or inflated character. It was expected that October dividends would relieve themarket, but that hope has not been realized, owing to the fact that dividends were mortgaged in advance. American shares have generally declined but not to as great an extent as Colonial securities. Its believed that the stringency will soon be over and that a more liberal policy on the part of the Bank of England will come to the rescue of borrowers.

MORE ABOUT THE GUARDS.

Much sympathy is aroused in London by the published statement from Bermuda that the second battalion Grenadier Guards, who were exiled to that island for insubordination, are being ravaged by disease, Many of the men have families in London whom they have had to leave behind, and to whom they hoped to return in a short time. They were also great favorites with the public, and considerable indignation is expressed against the government for failing to properly protect the health of one of the finest batallions in the British army.

A JUDICIOUS STEP.

The Spires town council has relaxed the harbor dues in the hope of retaining the importance of the place as an entreport for Bavaria, which has of late considerably diminished. Russia has adopted a more liberal and vigorous policy than heretofore in respect of encouraging the development of the mineral resources of the empire. Numerous special grants and bonuses to work ecal mines are being issued to companies, most of whose principals are composed of foreign capitalists.

DUTCH CATTLE UNDER A CLOUD.

The importation of Dutch cattle into England has been prohibited, owing to the prevalence of disease among the Netherland cattle. The trade was a small one compared with the American, but it averaged about [illegible] per week.

SOON TO RESUME HARNESS.

Lord Salisbury, who has been sojourning on the continent for the benefit of his health, arrived in London to day and started at once for his home in Hatfield without calling at the government offices. It is understood that after a brief rest he will resume active charge of public business, and will give his personal attention to problems arising out of the altered situation in Ireland.

MORAL SUASION FOR DOCKERS.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—President Thos. Mann, of the Docker's Union, is doing his utmost to bring the men to reason and prevent them from plunging headlong into a life and death struggle with ship owners. This course on his part is undoubtedly due to his perception that such a struggle at this time would be life to the ship owner's federation and death to the Docker's Union, for the federation is amply prepared for the contest, while the union is in an undisciplined and half bankrupt condition. It was Mann who insisted upon an agreement being reached to handle the Allen and Wilson-Hall line freight reasonably, and he has threatened to dismiss tomorrow any men who may fail to carry out the terms of the agreement, much depends both in respect of the union's future and of the interests of London's shipping trade, upon the action of the men in response to Mann's urgings.

STRONG ON THE CONSTABULARY.

The trial of the Irish members was proceeding to-day at Tipperary, when Mr. Healy gave evidence. He said that the number of armed constabulary exceeded that of adult men in the crowd. As Mr. Harrison attempted to save Captain Sheehy from being clubbed by the police, he came in for several blows himself.

Dr. Harrison testified that the officers used great and unnecessary violence. Mr. O'Brien appearing to be in great danger, witness went to see if anything could be done to check the violence. The police disregarded Magistrate Caddell's order that they must get inside the court and not make any disturbance. Witness asked them why they disobeyed their superior officers, whereupon a constable aimed a blow at him with his baton. Mr. Harrison stepped aside and avoided the blow. He saw another man belabored by police. He was himself hustled about in all directions, and was finally struck with a baton from behind. He shook off the police several times. He saw Mr. Sheehy felled by a blow from a constable's baton. The civilians did not throw any stones, nor did they strike any blows except in parrying the batons.

While T. O'Brien was testifying, Healy questioned him in regard to photographs taken during the fracas. The magistrate ruled this line of evidence out as irrevelant. A heated discussion ensued, which ended in Healy's telling O'Brien to leave the witness box; thereupon all the complainants and friends left the court room. Mr. Healy, at the opening of the case, asked that ordinary justices of the peace should replace the five resident magistrates on the bench. The application was refused. He now renewed it and demanded an adjournment on account of the constitution of the bench,—this being also denied, the summonses were withdrawn, thus ending the action.

THE INLAND EXHIBITION

A Splendid Success in Every Way—Opened by Mr. Justice Walkem.

KAMLOOPS, B. C., Oct. 9.—The exhibition was a splendid success in every particular, beautiful weather helping to brighten the proceedings. There was a magnificent showing of horses, cattle, vegetables and fruits. The exhibition of the Inland Agricultural Association was formally opened at 2 o'clock by His Honor Judge Walkem, and was a magnificent success, and in many classes very extensive exhibits were made. The weather could not have been more propitious, being bright and clear, typical Kamloops weather. At 2 o'clock, His Lordship Judge Walkem ascended a platform erected for the purpose close to the pavillion, and after a happy speech, commenting upon the origin and growth of the association, and encouraging it to continue its good work, he declared the exhibition opened. The band played and hundreds of spectators then thronged into the pavilion, in fact the showing is wonderful in point of attendance. The vegetables challenge comparison, being models of size and of perfect quality, giving the judges endless trouble in deciding as to their relative merits. The exhibit of grain are also of the finest, though not as extensive as in the other classes mentioned. In horse flesh there was an exhibit such as has not been equalled in the province before.

SIR GEORGE BADEN-POWELL.

A Busy Day Yesterday—Project for Colonizing 1,200 Families in British Columbia.

The Behring's Sea Question—Another and a New View of the McKinley Tariff.

Sir George Baden-Powell spent a busy day yesterday. He not only found time to enjoy a drive with Mr. Rithet and Mr. Robert Ward, but time to interview the Provincial Government on important business, to confer with several of the leading sealing men, to pay a visit to the new Outer wharf extension, and to call upon Capt. Hulton on board the Amphion.

His present visit to the coast is, as he explained to a COLONIST man last night, threefold in its object. He is a member of the Colonization committee of the Imperial parliament, which has, for the past two years, been inquiring into the needs and advantages of the various parts of the British empire as regards colonization. Some time ago the government of British Columbia laid a proposition before the Imperial government regarding the colonization of 1,200 families in this province. That proposition was, by the home government, referred to the Colonization committee, who found much conflicting evidence when they came to examine into it. Hoping to be in a position to lay the committee's report before the House in November, and with the object of clearing up the points in doubt, Sir George, yesterday, had an interview with Hon. John Robson. The Premier quickly explained the one most important point, respecting the details of the proposition, by stating that the request of the Provincial government to the Imperial was for an advance of the necessary money, as a loan, to bring to this country and settle comfortably 1,200 respectable families, the British Columbia government guaranteeing the repayment of the loan.

In regard to the Behring's Sea question, Sir George says that it has reached a new phase by Lord Salisbury suggesting arbitration. Says he: "We think we have so overpoweringly strong a case that arbitration is neither necessary nor desirable." Some of the points the Liverpool member will clear up during his present visit are in regard to the Americans' statement that nine-tenths of the slaughtered seals are not secured. He also wishes to find out where the males go to, that they are not captured. Sir George has put forward a new argument in the case. He says that, admitting that both nations are agreed that the seal should be protected, the seal is an amphibious creature, and those who live ashore near its haunts have no more right to kill or take it at any time than those who are afloat.

None of the members of the Imperial house have been more active or more earnest in urging upon parliament the necessity of establishing lines of mail steamers from England to China and to Australia, via Canada. The subsidy for the former has already been secured, and "now," Sir George remarked, last evening, "we must have the fast Atlantic and Australian service. The McKinley bill, that we have heard so much about during the past month, will go far towards securing the necessary Imperial subsidy. I believe that bill means great things for both Canada and Australia. It may take $10,000,000 of trade from Canada next year, but what of that if it is the means of procuring a permanent trade worth ten times as much? Canada may lose a portion of her trade with the United States, but when she has her fast steamers running to Europe, to the West Indies and to Australia, and her trade with those countries develops, she will find herself in a vastly better position than ever before. Not only will she have all her own important trade, but she will be able to enter those markets first with many American products such as flour, soft lumber, agricultural implements, fruit, etc. And being able to place these American goods first in the market, she will command a most important part of American commerce in these directions."

ADVICE TO MOTHERS.—Are you disturbed at night and broken of your rest by a sick child suffering and crying with pain of Cutting Teeth? If so send at once and get a bottle of "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for Children Teething. Its value is incalculable. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Depend upon it, mothers there is no mistake about it. It cures Dysentery and Diarrhœa, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, cures Wind Colic, softens the Gums, reduces Inflammation, and gives tone and energy to the whole system. "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup" for children teething is pleasant to the taste and is the prescription of one of the oldest and best female physicians and nurses in the United States, and is for sale by all druggists throughout the world. Price twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for "MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP," and take no other kind.
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CANADIAN NEWS.

A Frightful Tragedy Enacted in the Little Canadian Village of Cumberland.

Mrs. Tate of Chilliwhack, Proclaims the Indians of this Province Cannibals.

Sir Wilfred Laurier Sees Blue Ruin for Canada in the McKinley Tariff.

A Cow on the Track.

WINNIPEG, Man., Oct. 9.—The western express was delayed fifteen hours at Poplar Point by an accident last night, caused by striking a cow on the track. No one was seriously injured. The Earl of Aberdeen was on the train.

Outraged and Murdered.

CUMBERLAND, Ont., Oct. 9.—Mary and Eliza, aged 14 and 12 years, daughters of James McGonigle, living one half mile from here, who attended the village school, started for home after school Tuesday evening. They were last seen alive half a mile from home, followed by a man named Narcisse Larocque. Last night the outraged and murdered bodies of the girls were found by an exploring party of villagers. Larocque is under arrest on suspicion of being the murderer.

A Mystery.

TORONTO, Ont., Oct. 9.—The friends in Ontario of a young man named Robert Hardie, a native of Strathroy, who graduated from Victoria University a few years ago, was called to the bar in Toronto and practiced in Los Angeles, Cal., where he was married last year, and who is alleged to have been murdered in Arizona by Indians last May, are taking steps to inquire into the circumstances of the murder, surrounding which there are many suspicious circumstances.

The Queen vs. Morin.

QUEBEC, Oct. 9.—In the court of appeals to-day, Chief Justice Dorion gave judgment in the case of the Queen vs. Morin, who was sentenced to be hanged on the 17th inst. for the murder in Montmagny, Que., of his partner, Roy, but whose case was appealed on a writ of error. The Chief Justice declared the writ to be illegal, and ordered the prisoner to be surrendered to the sheriff of Montmagny and hanged on the date set for his execution. Counsel for prisoner will carry the case to the supreme court.

Mission Work in B.C.

TORONTO, Oct. 9.—At yesterday's session of the central branch of the Women's Methodist Missionary Society, Mrs. Tate of Chilliwhack, B.C., delivered an address on the state of the work in that far off region. There were at present five auxiliaries in British Columbia. The Indians in the province, with the exception of two tribes, were more intelligent than the tribes in the Northwest or eastern provinces. The Flatheads were, however, a degraded race and indulge in cannibalism and other savage pastimes. Those of their children who were puny or deformed were killed in infancy. Referring to the work of the society there, Mrs. Tate said that the Chilliwhack Indian home had accommodation for forty pupils, and was presided over by three teachers, satisfactory progress being made and much good accomplished.

Laurier on Reciprocity.

ABBOTTSFORD, QUE., Oct. 7.—Hon. Wilfred Laurier, leader of the Canadian Liberal party, addressed the electors of Renville, Bagot, St. Hyacinthe and Shefford yesterday, and gave his first deliverance on the question of reciprocity, since the passage of the McKinley bill. He declared for reciprocity in natural products and in manufactured goods. He felt sure that the McKinley bill would prove disastrous to Canada, and that persistence in its present course would be fatal to the Conservative party. The Conservative ministers at Halifax in pretending that they favored reciprocity in natural products, was a sham, as all their actions had been directed against it.

BY ATLANTIC CABLE.

Catholic Congress.

MADRID, Oct. 9.—The Catholic congress at Saragossa has adopted resolutions in favor of founding a Catholic Workmen's Association. The congress has unanimously condemned the principle of liberty, and has recommended that public teaching be confided solely to the church. Exemption from military duty is demanded for persons preparing for clerical life, and members of Catholic societies.

The Tariff Again.

ROME, Oct. 9.—The Italian committee on the Chicago World's fair exhibits has been dissolved. The reason given is that few Italian houses care to send displays to America in face of the high duties imposed by the McKinley tariff.

Holding Possession.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Oct. 9.—The striking union workmen to-day attacked firemen heaving coal at Balli, and after dispersing them occupied the mines. The police were unable to preserve order, and reinforcements have been sent to the scene.

Obstinate Dock Laborers.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—Some of the dock laborers in the employ of the Allan Steamship Co., have declined to acquiesce in the decision of the executive officers of the Dock Laborer's Union. In consequence of this action on the part of the men, the union has given them till to-morrow morning to finally determine whether they will comply with the terms of agreement negetiated between the executive officers and the Allan Co.'s representatives and resume work on the steamers Dewerhill and Grecian under the condition settled upon. If the workmen prove obstinate they will be deprived of their working cards and other union laborers will be detailed to perform their duties. Some of the men have already returned to work on the terms offered by the company, which has ordered its foreign agents not to consign any more corn to London pending final settlement of the trouble.

The Queen's Distress.

LONDON, Oct. 9.—The Queen is much distressed by a report of fatal illness among the Grenadier Guards at Bermuda. She sent her private secretary to the Foreign office twice to-day to demand the latest news on the subject. Up to this evening, however, Lord Salisbury has received nothing from the island.

The Result of the Harvest.

PESTH, Oct. 9.—A corn agent in this market has failed with liabilities to a million florins. It is believed other assignments will follow. The trouble is caused by the scantiness of the harvest.

Fired at the Priest.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 9.—At the close of the service in the cathedral of Koumkapoo, to-day, a man in the congregation fired two shots at the priest. Neither of the bullets took effect. The man then escaped.

CAPITAL NOTES.

Water Struck in the Dry District—Territorial Acts Disallowed.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

OTTAWA, Oct. 9.—Two ordinances, passed by the territorial legislature, have been disallowed. One amending the game ordinance, applied the close season for game to Indians, contrary to existing treaties; the other measure made rules for practitioners in the territorial courts, and it was held that as the Dominion created the courts the federal power alone could make the rules.

The silver mining companies in Port Arthur district want a visit from the British iron masters, but the duration of their stay in Canada will not permit.

A gang of men was laid off at the printing bureau to-night.

The interior department has been notified of a find of well water on the Lister Kaye companies' farm in the dry section of the territories.

Returns from the fisheries department show 119 licenses under the modus vivendi, issued to date, against 78 for the whole of last season. Receipts amounted to $14,500 against $9,500 last year.

A quantity of lumber was shipped to the States to-day at the old rate of duty.

AMERICAN NEWS.

"Built by Contract."

PHILADELHHIA, Oct. 9.—The new U. S. navy cruiser Newark, which left Cramp's yard this morning on her initial trip, returned to dock this afternoon with a section of her machinery broken. When she left her wharf this morning she was [illegible] high rate of speed down [illegible] was done at a fore she reached [illegible] the river. Just be- jarring [illegible] Wilmington an unusual [illegible] was noticed throughout the ship. The machinery was stopped, and an examination disclosed that the rocker shaft bearing on the forward engine was cracked. The injury was of such a serious nature that it was impossible to repair it with the means at hand, and she was accordingly returned to the dock yard.

Killed by a Runaway Horse.

BANGOR, Me., Oct. 9. Hon. Lewis Parker, one of the most prominent men in the State, was knocked down by a runaway horse this morning and died this afternoon.

Serious Train Collision.

DULUTH, Oct. 9.—At 6:25 this morning, the Northern Pacific short line train, bound for West Superior, collided with freight No. 17 of the St. Paul and Duluth just opposite the round house in the west end, where it was necessary to cross the St. Paul and Duluth tracks. The short line train was running on regular time and had the right of way. The train had partly crossed the street when it was struck by the freight engine. The engine and several freight cars were demolished and one passenger car was capsized. The most seriously injured of the passengers were. John Rulan, leg broken and badly bruised; Jacob Simerson, arm broken; A. G. Champagne, badly cut about the head and left hand.

With Five-Ounce Gloves.

CHICAGO, Oct. 9—The Times says articles were signed here yesterday for a match between Jack McAuliffe and Billy Meyer for $2,500 a side, and a purse of $5,000, offered by the Metropolitan club of New Orleans. Each man is to pay his own expenses, and the fight will be with five-ounce gloves, to take place in New Orleans during the early part of February.

Demand for Better Wages.

NEW York, Oct. 9.—The Spanish cigar makers, to the number of 500, employed in the higher grades of cigars, at a meeting this afternoon, decided to demand an advance in wages of $2 per thousand tomorrow morning should their demand not be conceded. Committees waited upon the manufacturers and informed them of their action. It is expected that eleven firms interested will concede the demands.

TELEGRAMS IN BRIEF.

George Bennett, a grocer's clerk of Oakland, Cal., has decamped with $1,000 belonging to his employer.

Tommy La Flesh, of Henly, Cal., was accidentally shot through the heart last night.

Nathan Willette, a prisoner on a charge of murder made a clean escape from the sheriff at San Bernardo, Cal., yesterday.

The long bridge at Dixon, Cal., was burned by train wreckers yesterday.

HIGHEST CASH prices paid for ladies' and gent's cast off clothing. Address—S. Cooness, 2nd door west Broad st., on Johnson.

Cosmographic Atlas at T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

Purses and fancy goods at Daley's.

Tourist guides at Daley s.

Baby carriages and bird cages at Cheapside

THE SAANICH FAIR.

A Very Successful Exhibition—Signs of Continued Improvement.

The Attendance Well Up to the Average and Great Interest Manifested.

The Saanich Agricultural Fair is one of those annual occurrences which to the people of the eastern section of the Island of Vancouver is an event to which they look forward with special interest. The Saanich district may fairly be said to be one of the most important agricultural tributaries to the city of Victoria, and it is impossible to say what its development may be shou'd it keep pace with the demands that will be made upon it by the ever augmenting population of the Victoria that is to be. Moreover, the social relation between the merchants and others of the capital with the yeomen of Saanich are of the closest that can be imagined, since not a few Saanich boys are engaged in the commercial affairs of the former, and many of its households are presided over by girls who were born and reared among the green fields and under the shade of the woods that are contained within the limits known as those of Saanich. The original native of Saanich has long ago given way in person and in methods to the white man, who already realizes that unless "he stirs his stumps" he will be unable to hold his own in that deadly—it may be said to be—struggle, that can only result in the survival of the fit est. On this account, both on the Island and the Mainland, the greater is the necessity that the best stock should be raised and the best methods of farming resorted to. Towards this end the annually recurring agricultural shows have much contributed, and in consequence they are appreciated, particularly at home, where their influence is so much felt. Yesterday was a splendid day for a fair, and men, women and children turned out in great numbers, thronging alike the main building, where the fruits, flowers, vegetrbles and ladies' work were displayed, and the pens and outside pickets where the live stock was on view. As Artemas Ward, or some one else, once said, "Comparisons are odoriferous." In consequence no one appeared desirous of placing this year's show in competition wi h those which had preceded it. All said it was good, and though it is not always true that "vox populi, vox dei," no one will be disposed to quarrel with this opinion. The display of fruit and vegetables is worthy of special reference, and the same may be said of the work of the girls, and of some of that for which the women were responsible. It was explained that the samples of grain would have been much more numerous had the farmers had time to thrash them; nevertheless some of the wheat and oats was noteworthy.

The following were the judges:

Cattle—Messrs. W. Clark, N. Sabin and R. Carter.

Horses—W. Tolmie, J. Brown and R. Hall.

Grain—Messrs. Rodgers, Clark and Todd.

Fruit—Messrs. McRae, J. F. Fell and McTavish.

Poultry and vegetables—Messrs. King, S. Jones and J. Knight.

The prize list, as resolved upon by the judges after examination and deliberation, is as follows:

CATTLE.

Best Durham Bull; Tolmie estate.
Best Durham Cow; 1st Tolmie estate, 2nd J. Sluggett.
Best 2 year old Heifer; S. Sandover.
Best yearling Heifer; S. Sandover.
Best Jersey Bull; S. Dean.
Best Jersey Yearling; S. Sandover.
Best Jersey Cow; S. Sandover.
Best Jersey yearling Heifer; T. Mitchell.
Best Jersey Heifer; T. Mitchell.
Best grade Bull; John Haldan.
Best grade yearling Bull; G. Harrison.
Best grade milch Cow; 1st E. Johns, 2d W. Harrison.
Best grade 2 year old Heifer; 1st, S. Sandover, 2d G. Harrison.
Best grade yearling Heifer; 1st S. Dean, 2d Samuel Mathews.
Best grade heifer Calf; 1st Wm. Thomson, 2d John Haldan.
Best herd of Cattle; 1st E. Johns, 2d Thomas Mitchell.
Best Fat Cattle; Geo. Stelly, jr.

SHEEP.

Best Long Wool Ram, 1st and 2d, Tolmie estate.
Best Ram Lamb, 1st G. Harrison; 2d H. King.
Best Ewe, 1st Tolmie estate; 2d G. Harrison.
Best Ewe Lambs, 1st H. King; 2d Geo. Harrison.
Best Short Wool Ram, S. Sandover.
Best Ram Lamb, S. Sandover.
Best Ewes, S. Sandover.
Best Ewe Lambs, S. Sandover.
Best Fat Sheep, 1st S. Sandover; 2d Geo. Harrison.

HORSES.

Best Draught Stallion, H. Simpson.
Best Span, 1st H. Price, 2nd Thos. Mitchell.
Best Horse, 1st Geo Stelly, jr.; 2d A. Menigh.
Best three year old, 1st H. Marcotte; 2d Thos. Mitchell.
Best draught, 2-year olds; J. Sluggett.
Best yearlings; 1st Louis Duval, 2nd J. Hagan.
Best Brood Mare; 1st H. King, 2nd Louis Duval.
Best Colts; 1st H. King, 2nd Louis Duval.

ROADSTERS.

Best Stallion; H. E. Newton.
Best Span; 1st H. E. Newton, 2nd S. Sandover.
Best Horse; 1st J. Brethour, 2nd S. Roberts.
Best Saddle Horse; 1st Fred. Turgoose, 2nd S. Dean.
Best 3-year olds; 1st George Stelly, Jr. 2nd S. Roberts.
Best 2-year olds: 1st A. Meneagh, 2nd Geo. Stelly, Jr.
Best year-old Colt; John Halden.
Best Brood Mare; 1st W. Thomson, 2nd J. D. Bryant.

SWINE.

Best Berkshire Boar; 1st J. D. Bryant, 2nd X. Marcotte.
Best Young Sow; 1st X. Marcotte; 2d J. D. Bryant.
Best Young Boar; 1st X. Marcotte; 2d J. D. Bryant.

POLAND CHINA.

Best Boar; S. Sandover.
Best Sow; S. Sandover.
Best young Sow; 1st W. J. Wale; 2d S. Sandover.

GRAIN.

Best Fall Wheat; 1st H. King; 2d J. S. Young.
Best Spring Wheat; 1st J. S. Young; 2d John Brethour.
Best Chevalier Barley; 1st J. D. Bryant; 2d S. Sandover.
Best Oats; 1st Thomas Mitchell; 2d H. Brethour; 3d E. John; 4th, J. T. Harrison.
Best Peas; 1st H. King; 2d John Brethour.
Best Timothy Seed; 1st S. Sandover, 2nd S. Dean
Best Orchard Grass; J. D. Bryant.
Best Indian Corn, J. D. Bryant.

ROOTS.

Best Early Potatoes; 1st Thomas Mitchell, 2nd J Rae.
Best Late Potatoes; 1st J. S. Young. 2nd H. Brethour.
Best Swedish Turnips; 1st E. C. Lawless, 2nd John Haldan.
Best Aberdeen Turnips, W. Thompson.
Best 12 Turnips; 1st H. King, 2nd John Holden.
Best Mangel Wurtzel; 1st S. Sandover, 2nd H. King.
Best Long Carrots; 1st E. C. Lawless, 2nd J. M. Warden.
Best Short Carrots; 1st Paul Frank, 2nd ditto.
Best Onions; W. Thomson 1st, S. Dean 2d.
Best Parsnips, Frank Paul.
Best Cabbage; 1st John Haldon, 2d E. C. Lawless.
Best Beets, Paul Frank.
Best Shallots; 1st Marcotte, 2d J. Rae.
Best Savoy Cabbage; 1st G. Dean, 2d D. Lawless.
Best Cauliflower; 1st S. Sandover, 2d E. C. Lawless.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

Best Fresh Butter; 1st Mrs. H. Brethour, 2d Mrs. D. Johns, 3d Mrs. J. D. Bryant.
Best Salt Butter; 1st Mrs. D. Johns, 2d Mrs. Mitchell, 3d Mrs. Marcotte.
Best Bacon; W. Thomson, 2d Thomas Mitchell.
Best Bread (hop); 1st Mrs. H. Brethour, 2d Mrs. Saddler.
Best Bread (salt); 1st Mrs. S. Dean, 2d Mrs. Mitchell.
Best Graham Bread; 1st Mrs. J. W. Brethour, 2nd Mrs. S. Dean.
Best Fruit Cake, Miss E. Turgoose.
Best Lemon Cake, Mrs. S. Sandover.
Best Cocoanut Cake, Mrs. Bryant.

FRUIT.

Best Early Apples; 1st S. Sandover; 2d J. D. Harrison.
Best Late Apples; 1st J. Sluggett; 2nd John Brethour.
Best Large Apples; 1st W. Thompson; 2nd J. Sluggett
Best collection Apples; X. Marcotte; 2nd John Brethour.
Best 12 Pears; 1st W Thompson; 2nd Paul Frank.
Best 12 Plums; 1st and 2d H. Brethour.
Best Peaches; 1st E. C. Lawless, 2d Mrs. D. E. Johns.
Best Musk Melons; 1st S. Deans, 2d John Holden.
Best Tomatoes; 1st W. Thomson, 2nd J. D. Bryant.
Best Quinces, W. Thomson.
Best Vegetable Marrows, Thomas Mitchell.
Best Squashes, 1st and 2d J. D. Bryant.
Best Pumpkins; 1st J. Rae, 2d J. D. Bryant.
Best Cucumbers; 1st J. Holland, 2d J. D. Bryant.
Best Citron Melons; 1st J. Rae, 2d S. Deans.
Best Prunes; 1st J. T. Harrison, 2d John Brethour.
Best Currant Wine, Mrs. J. D. Bryant.
Best Vinegar, Mrs. J. D. Bryant.

POULTRY.

Best 3 Turkeys, W. J. Wale.
Best 3 Geese; 1st S. Sandover, 2d W. J. Wale.
Best Fowls; 1st W. J. Wale, 2d Henry Simpson.
Best Ducks; 1st W. J. Wale, 2d S. Sandover.
Best Pigeons; X. Marcotte.
Best Rabbits; Josey Marcotte.
Best Eggs; 1st E. Haldane; 2d X Marcotte.
Oatmeal; 1st Brackman & Kerr.

LADIES' PRIZES.

Cotton Quilt; Mrs. G. Simpson.
Ladies' Underclothing; 1st Miss E. Roberts, 2d Miss Grace Thomson.
Knitted Hose; 1st and 2d Mrs. T. W. Carter, jun.
Stockings (Darned); 1st Mrs. Rae, 2d Miss Haldon.
Best Berlin Work; 1st Miss L Brethour, 2nd Miss Addie Simpson.
Best Crochet Work (cotton); 1st and 2nd Miss S. Brethour.
Best Crochet Work (wool); 1st Mrs. J. D. Bryant, 2nd Mrs. T. W. Carter, jr.
Best Lace Work; 1st Mrs. Samuel Brethour, 2nd Mrs. J. T. Harrison.
Best Embroidery (cotton); 1st and 2nd Miss Roberts.
Best Embroidery (silk); 1st and 2nd Mrs. J. T. Harrison.
Best Embroidery (worsted): 1st Mrs. J. T. Harrison, 2nd Mrs. T. W. Carter, jr.
Best Knitting (fancy); 1st and 2nd Mrs. T. W. Carter, jr.
Best Hair Work, Miss Annie Parsons.
Best Rag Rug; Mrs. Samuel Brethour, 2nd Mrs. Thompson.
Best Table Cover (cotton); 1st Mrs. G. Simpson, 2nd Mrs. T. Harrison.
Best Button Holes, Mrs. T. W. Carter, jr.
Best Chenille and Ribbon; Mrs. T. W. Carter, jr, 2nd Mrs. J. T. Harrison.
Best Canary; 1st Mrs. J. W, Brethour, 2nd Mrs. J. T, Bryant.
Best Bouquet; 1st Mrs. J. Harrison, 2d Miss Turgoose.

CHILDREN'S WORK UNDER 14.

Best Fancy Needle, Miss McTavish.
Best Plain Needle, Miss Stella Brethour.
Best Fancy Knitting, Miss McDonald
Best Crochet Work, Miss May Butler.
Best Pencil Drawing, Miss Topsy Roberts.

SPECIAL PRIZES.

Best Writing; 1st Miss Annie Turgooze, 2nd Nellie Hund.
Best Drawing (freehand); 1st Miss Susan Hagon, 2nd Miss Bell Dowdney.
Best Map Drawing; 1st Miss Maggie McDonald, 2d Miss Nettie Hurd.

In poultry, Mr. W. J. Wale was the principal exhibitor, and he had some handsome and rare varieties on view. His partridge cochin fowl, China ducks, and turkeys were greatly admired. Mr. Wale devotes no little time to raising poultry, and has some of the best birds in the province. He very nearly swept the field yesterday, taking first prize for best three turkeys, best three ducks, best three fowl (partridge cochin), and second prize for best three geese. In the vegetable class, Mr. Wale entered some very fine ornamental squash, and some curious-looking gourds, the latter being grown from seed imported from Ontario. These gourds grow on vines trained over trellis work or the side of a house, and assume the most fantastic shapes, some resembling hen eggs, others apples, and again others miniature pumpkins, cucumbers, squash, etc. The exhibit, from its novelty, attracted no little attention.

In the hall the most noticeable exhibit, and one which would do credit to any exhibition in the Dominion, were the displays of fresh and salt butter and home-made bread.

Among the notable objects upon the ground were, of course, Mr. Tolmie's magnificent short-horn bull, the unquestioned winner in so many competitions, and Mr. H. E. Newton's Cleveland bay stallion "Sir Hercules," with a pedigree reaching into the far backs which took first prize at the recent Victoria exhibition, and is the winner of numerous others. Mr. Newton, who is the owner of the thoroughbred "Martello," took first prize for a pair of imported mares by Rifleman.

The eminently successful proceedings were brought to a close with a really jolly country ball, in which the farmers' wives, daughters and sweethearts heartily joined, supplying graceful partners to the many strangers and others who stayed over in order to be present.

"THE COLONIST" can scarcely congratulate the management upon the system displayed by them in preparing the prize list and paying the winners. The secretary was, it may be said, over anxious to please everybody. He began with having no change with which to pay the prizes, and in consequence it was a constant hunt for silver and small money. In this way every one was delayed and the newspaper representatives were prevented from obtaining access to the books which with every facility should have been placed at their disposal so as to ensure immediate publication and to prevent the possibility of mistakes. Moreover, the newspaper men had nearly twenty miles to drive along roads with which they were not familiar, while the farmers could scarcely fail to be well acquainted with every part over which they had to drive.

Dennison's French tissue paper for flower making at Daley's.

STEEL SHIP BUILDING IN CANADA.

What has Already been Done and What Should be on This Coast.

During the past three years remarkable progress has been made in the ship building industry in Ontario, as well as in British Columbia. Some beautiful specimens of naval architecture are now plying on the great inland lakes of Canada, and it has been clearly demonstrated that within ourselves we possess the capabilities of building all kinds of vessels, from the smallest tug to the greatest passenger steamer. It is to be hoped that soon will be seen on our coasts the same enterprise as is shown by the success attending steamship building on our lakes. Many residents of Victoria may have seen that beautiful passenger steamer "Cibola," put together in Montreal in the summer of 1887 and completed at Deseronto. Her dimensions are 260 feet in length, 28 feet beam on the hull and 52 feet over guards; her engines are on the compound, direct-acting principle, capable of indicating 2,500 h. p. They are models of perfection and were built at Greenock and placed in the boat by Mr. A. P. Rankin, agent from Greenock for that purpose. This magnificent palace steamer is now plying between Toronto and Niagara, a distance of 45 miles, and comdletes the distance in about two and a-half hours, and many of British Columbia friends who have visited that district cann not fail to recognize the Cibola as a superior boat.

In the spring of 1888, Wm. Polson & Co., Toronto, instituted the first steel ship yard in Canada at Owen Sound, on Georgian Bay, all completely fitted out, similar to the Clyde yards in Scotland, for the building of all classes of vessels. The first contract entrusted to them was the building of the large propeller Manitoba, for the Canadian Pacific Railway Co.'s lake service, to replace the Algoma, which was wrecked on Lake Superior in 1885. The story of the terrible suffering of the crew is yet vivid in the memory of some here. This boat is by far the largest ever built in Canada, and her design has the stamp of perfection and genius. The length of the Manitoba is 303 feet, 33 feet beam, and 23 feet 6 inches hold. The hull is built of milled steel, and on the upper deck is a long range of houses, containing passenger cabins, dining and drawing saloons extending nearly the full length of the vessel. The propelling machinery is of the compound inverted cylinder type. Her cylinders are 35 in. and 70 in. diameter by 2 ft. 0 in. stroke. The building of this large vessel excited great interest in Canada, and loud were the hurrahs of the thousands of people who witnessed the launch. Robert Logan, one of the most popular naval architects on the Clyde, was the designer, and in the Clyde yard designed the Alberta, Athabasca, and Algoma. The C. P. R. Co. brought out this gentleman to superintend the Manitoba, and Canada America were loud in their encomiums of her handsome model and her splendid appearance, and to great success. The company built on Mr. Logan's design the huge sidewheel ferryboat for transporting the cars across the Detroit river, where the C. P. R. and Wabash system meet and connect. This monster steel ferry, the Ontario, measures 295 feet in length, 41 feet beam, and the great width of 71 feet over guards. She is capable of carrying an engine and 16 loaded freight cars, and in strength and shape is especially adapted for breaking through the heaviest ice in winter. The machinery consists of two independ- engines, one on each paddle wheel: the cylidders being feet in diameter by 9ft. 6in. stroke. The wheels are enormously strong, each weighing 80 tons, and again the design of J. P. Rankin, C. E. Wm. Polson & Co. also built the sequin, a large steel barge for carrying lumber for the Parry Sound Lumber Co., and last winter so great was the success of the building of steel steamships, that Doty & Co., Toronto, established a yard for building a vessel of more ordinary size, and are now engaged on a fine fleet of boats of 140 feet long and 44 feet wide, and carrying 1,000 passengers. There is great activity in this branch of industry, and it may be safely said Mr. Logan is the founder of it, and Canada may well be proud of having one of the best naval architects from the Clyde. He has demonstrated the fact that there is no saving by bringing boats from the old country; they can be built here cheaper, and in his speech to the engineers and architects, he says: "You have in your own Dominion an industry that will eventually prove a blessing to the mechanic, and a great convenience to your country. I do not know a place better adapted for building steel boats than the Pacific Coast—a country that cannot fail to figure very prominently in the future annals of Canadian history." The rapid growth of British Columbia, and the great increase of her commercial interests, indicate an increase of demand for means of transport, and in addition to being an encouragement for the emigration of first-class mechanics, it ought to be the greatest steel shipyard in America.

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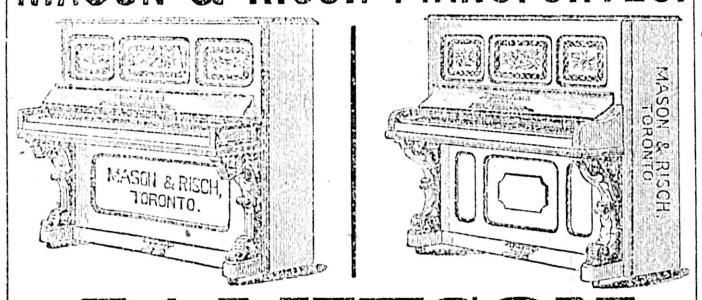

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JNO TEAGUE,
oc7td Architect.

TENDERS WANTED.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP TO the 15th of October for grubbing and clearing, plowing and levelling, and building a Race Track according to plans and specifications which can be seen at the Saanich Exhibition on the 9th, and afterwards at Brackman & Ker's office, Victoria, or at the residence of the President, S. Sandover.

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H. BRETHOUR,
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SEPARATE TENDERS (in duplicate) for supplies, coal, fuel-wood, and services for the above corps during the calendar year, 1891, will be received by the Minister o Militia and Defence, at Ottawa, until Monday, 27th October.

Tenders to be addressed to the Minister of Militia and Defence, at Ottawa, and marked "TENDERS."

For particulars and forms of Tenders, apply to Lt.-Col. Holmes.

Each Tender must be accompanied by an accepted Canadian Bank cheque, for an amount equal to five per cent. of the total value of the contract. This cheque will be forfeited if the party making the tender declines to sign a contract when called upon to do so, or if he fails to complete the service contracted for. If the tender be not accepted, the cheque will be returned.

A. BENOIT,
Secretary.
Department of Militia and Defence,
OTTAWA, 22nd September, 1890. oc1-2w

Notice to Contractors.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED UP to 4 o'clock p. m. on the 17th of December next, at the office of the undersigned for the Construction of Sewers for the Corporation of the City of Victoria, B.C.

For particulars of plans and specifications, apply at the City Hall, Victoria, on or after the 15th day of November, next ensuing.

Five per centum of the approximate amount of the work tendered for will be required to be deposited with a tender to ensure its consideration. This may be done either in Cash or by Certified Cheque on some Bank in British Columbia. All Cash or Certified Cheques to be returned to unsuccessful tenderers.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER.
Victoria, B. C., C. M. C.
Sept. 30, 1890. oct1

MUNICIPAL.

SEALED TENDERS, endorsed "Tender for the Sewerage Loan Debentures," will be received at the office of the undersigned, on or before the 20th day of November next, at 4 p m., for the purchase of Debentures of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, amounting to $300,000 issued under authority of the Sewerage Loan By-Law, 1890, the Municipal Act, 1889, and Amending Act, 1890.

The Corporation does not bind itself to accept any tender.

Any information desired may be obtained upon application to the undersigned.

By order
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"Land Registry Act."

Section XXII, Lake District.

WHEREAS, the Certificate of Title of Samuel Ricketts, of Lake District, Province of British Columbia, to Section XXII, Lake District, bearing date the 24th day of July, 1853, has been lost and application has been made for duplicate of such certificate. Notice is, therefore, hereby given that such duplicate will be issued unless cause be shown to the contrary in writing within one month from the date hereof.

C. J. LEGGATT,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office,
Victoria, 4th September, 1890. se5

THE HALIFAX SPEECH.

Sir John Among the Nova Scotians—He Makes Grit Minds Very Easy—the General Election.

Discusses the Trade Question Ably and Manfully—Canada Not to Be Sold for Reciprocity.

The veteran chieftain's brief but pithy reply completely captured the audience. This was the grand old man's first appearance before a Nova Scotia assembly, and his address was full of wit and pathos. He had been charged in the Opposition press with never having addressed the people of Nova Scotia. Well, if the vast extent of Canada and the multiformity of his duties prevented his visiting Nova Scotia, he was proud to be able to send as his lieutenants men so full of youthful vigor, earnestness and patriotism—men of whom he was so proud—as Sir John Thompson and Hon. Mr. Tupper. His feelings for humanity and the common duty he owed to his fellow-citizens demanded that he should relieve the Grits of the great anxiety they felt about the elections. The audience had probably noticed from the papers how frightened they were about the probability of a dissolution. A year ago they were clamoring for an appeal to the people, but how different to-day. Now, a dissolution would be most unconstitutional and the Governor-General was warned not to take Sir John's advice to dissolve. Sir John said he would relieve their anxiety to the extent of saying that he was not going to dissolve. (Laughter). He was perfectly satisfied with his majority and was so fully enjoying the weakness of his opponents—(laughter and applause)—that he was willing to let the present Parliament run its course, fully satisfied that the decisions of 1878 and 1872 would not be altered in 1891 or 1892. He was almost to say 1892, lest the Opposition should give up in hopless despair. (Great laughter). Though he was trying to steer the ship of state as straight as he could, the Opposition were very useful in warning him from going wrong. (Renewed laughter). During the quarter of a century he had been in office his success was largely due to the hearty opposition that had been given him. The chieftain proceeded in his happiest vein to compare the condition of Canada in 1867 with to-day. Then the colonies were without credit and without prestige, and without any consideration among the people of the earth. Since confederation Canada has gone forward by leaps and bounds, and now our credit was almost equal to that of the mother country. He admitted the increase of debt, but urged that it was merely an evidence of improvement, progress and enterprise. He had been charged with corruption by building railways all over Canada. If his anxiety to develop the country by railways was an evidence of corruption he was afraid he would hrve to acknowledge the corn. (Laughter.) He was not afraid of the future of Canada. He was not afraid to borrow at 2½ per cent., moneys the expenditure of which would yield the country 20 per cent. Sir John humorously described how John Sandfield Macdonald had been beaten by his own money, by the surplus he had hoarded up. He (Sir John) would take good care that there was no large purse left with which the Opposition could bribe the country. (Great laughter and applause.)

TRADE RELATIONS.

Referring to trade relations with the United States, Sir John related the history of his efforts to obtain reciprocity, and declared that he had gone as far as any self-respecting man or government could go to obtain fair trade arrangements, but it was no use, said the chieftain. The United States declined any negotiations for any kind of reciprocity. The fact is, he said, the United States covet Canada. They desire to have it—they will have it now that they see our progress, now that the country from ocean to ocean is spanned by the C.P.R. and we are walking into the trade of China and Japan. No wonder they covet us. The Americans were warned by enemies in our camp not not to grant us any privileges, and by so doing they would starve us into annexation; that Canadians were so sordid that if the Americans would only hold out for a few years longer we would sell out our flag, our allegiance and our sovereign. (Cries of "Never, never.") Meantime these traitors suggested that the Yankees might send them a little money to help along their schemes. (Laughter.) He had no fear whatever that Canadians were so mean, so sordid, so traitorous, so unworthy of their ancestors and their country as to sell their heritage for a mess of pottage, or even for a pot of gold. We prize the flag and the spirit of the laws of England—that spirit which protects the rights of the minority. What have we to gain by joining the United States? asked Sir John. It is a great country, but it will have its vicissitudes and revolutions. Look at the mass of foreign ignorance and vice which has flooded that country with socialism, atheism and all other isms. We can sit calmly and quietly under the flag of Great Britain and look philosophically upon the struggles of a fierce democracy. A great deal of pains had been taken to explain that the McKinley bill was merely a domestic measure. Be it so. They have taken their course, we will take ours. (Cheers.) The United States say: If you want to trade with us you can do it in one or two ways, either annex yourself to us or separate from Great Britain and set up an independent republic. As to annexation, there is not a man here in favor of it, emphasized Sir John. As to independence, how long could we stand as an independent republic? How long did Texas stand as the Lone Star republic? Canada and the United States, as the lion and the lamb, might lie down together, but the lamb would be inside the lion. If Canadians are true to themselves and their posterity they will remain as they are, and the future will demonstrate the wisdom of that course. Look at what England is doing for us to-day. England has no special interest in the fate of the seals, yet Lord Salisbury's magnificent government is insisting on maintaining and enforcing Canadian rights to the seal fisheries. What could Canada do in the Behring Sea controversy without England at our back? asked Sir John.

Sir John sat down amid prolonged cheering.

CHANGE OF PROGRAMME,

Not to be Continued in the City Police Court. An Early Morning Meeting.

There was a change in police court circles yesterday morning which showed that the police had been working the day before. The result of their labors was not, however, financially profitable to the city, though the moral effect may be advantageous. The institution on Topaze avenue has secured an additional boarder in the person of Tom Davis, a man well advanced in years, but whose love for the bottle got him into the bonds of the police and afterwards into those of the jail warden as he was not in a position to pay the court the license of $5 attached to the privilege of becoming intoxicated. Two Indians were found in the same condition by Officer Levine, but the court adjourned the hearing of their case till to-day so as to provide against the contingency of hearing nothing else than the Chinese perjury case.

Chin Ah Yuen is a gentleman of oriental nationality who was selected as a test case for selling lottery tickets. The penalty fixed for this offence is $20, no more and no less. Chin Ah Yuen is comfortably circumstanced, so he came into court and smilingly pleaded guilty, implying, apparently, that the court was welcome to draw on him for the amount of the fine. It did, but it was a sight draft and was promptly honored. That was the only money the court received from that session. Chin was followed by a white drunk, or rather by a white man that had once been drunk. He didn't pay any money into the treasury, but he took furnished apartments at the taxpayers' expense for one month.

Sam Davis was the next on the tapis, and his story as told, partly by Officer Levin and partly by himself, was not without interest. Sam is of Indian extraction and likes a little stimulant at times. It occurred to him that it was possible to procure some from Mr. T. W. Carter's brewery without the owner's knowledge. As Thursday morning was dawning he wended his way in the direction of the brewery and succeeded in procuring half a dozen bottles of lager beer. He was coming back towards his cabin, walking on the inside of the road fence. Officer Levin was walking on the outside, but had not notified Sam of the fact, which omission led to an unexpected meeting on one side. Sam put the bottles underneath the fence and proceeded to pull his body over the fence. The officer did the same on his side, and both faces came to the top together. Neither party wished the other good morning and there was no reference to Pear's soap. The magistrate took this into account and committed Sam to stand his trial before a judge on a charge of breaking and entering.

AGITATION REGARDING THE COVERING OF THE MONTREAL RESERVOIRS.

This important question is now agitating the public mind in Montreal, and the City Council has already discussed the matter. Some of the aldermen strongly advocate the complete covering of the reservoirs at once, and all the citizens and taxpayers will, without a dissenting voice, say, "Amen, so let it be."

It is an undeniable fact that all such reservoirs are often the dumping places for much decomposed matter; and often become for a time the resting place for innocent babes, as well as the suicide. It is not advisable that our Canadian people should become a nation of alarmists, but when millions of lives are in a great measure dependent on pure water, then it is time to cry aloud, and say we must be protected, no matter what the cost may be. Has it ever occurred to the average citizen, notwithstanding all the care that may be bestowed on reservoirs and aqueducts, that a vast amount of sickness and disease is caused by the many impurities that come even from the fountain head of all reservoirs? Still, it behooves the authorities of all cities and towns to make the water supply as nearly pure as possible.

While absolutely pure water cannot prevent the vast amount of sickness and suffering we see in our midst, it can to a large extent ameliorate the condition and help to lessen the amount of disease. No amount of the purest water will ever give relief to the restless, sleepless and irritable man or woman. It cannot calm and quiet the unstrung nerves, and soothe or ease the throbbing, worn-out brain.

The best and purest water that Heaven has ever bestowed cannot take away that worn out and languid feeling under which many are burdened; it cannot enable the stomach and bowels to work harmoniously so as to avoid that terrible dyspepsia and indigestion; it cannot either restore the proper functions of the kidneys and liver when disordered.

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MR. ROBSON'S SEAT.

We learn that the Hon. Mr. Robson has resigned his seat for Westminster and determined to sit for Cariboo. This step has been anticipated for some time. It is well understood that the multifarious demands upon Mr. Robson's time have recently been telling upon his health, and that he has been reluctantly compelled to sever his connection with the banner district which has so long honored him with its confidence, in order that he may be in a position to do justice at once to himself and to the larger duties cast upon him as premier of the Province. Although compelled to seek a constituency imposing less labor upon its representatives, we are sure that Westminster will always have in Mr. Robson a true friend, ever ready to promote its best interests.

TYRANNY AND OPPRESSION.

People are finding out that everything is not exactly lovely on the other side of the line. The producer in the United States has his difficulties and his drawbacks as well as his fellow producer in the Dominion of Canada. Taxes are high in the States as well as here and the tyranny of trusts and tariff favored monopolies is far greater and more galling there than here. A New Mexican rancher told our readers a few days ago how the stock raisers were oppressed and imposed upon by the great cattle trust of Chicago. Things have come to that pass in the States that the man who raises stock is little better than the slave of the combine which buys the stock. The combine he declared is master of the situation. From Texas to Maine it controls the market for live stock and butchers' meat. It is simply ruin to attempt to compete with the powerful and unscrupulous trust. To resist its exactions is now utter folly. It has the cattle raiser by the throat and it uses its power ruthlessly. There are other trusts and combines almost as powerful and quite as unprincipled. As if this were not enough the Federal Legislature steps in and gives monopolists such an advantage over all others in the same line of business that it is hopeless to attempt to compete against them. Instances are given of this favoritism in a letter which appeared in a Boston newspaper. The writer says:

"The present price of American foundry iron delivered in Boston is $18 per ton. The cost of equally good Scotch iron is $13.25 per ton. But a duty of $6.72 per ton is imposed upon the Scotch iron, and its importation is thus prohibited. The increased cost of the American iron to the New England foundryman is thus made $4.75 per ton or, if he melts 10 tons per day, 300 days in the year, $14,250 per year. This is what has compelled the South Boston Iron Company to close its works. The present cost of Bessemer iron in Boston is $20.50 per ton; that of imported Bessemer is $15. But the tariff law prohibits importation. The increased cost to the New England steel maker is $5.50 per ton, and if he makes 200 tons per day 300 days in the year the increased cost to him is $330,000 per year. It is this tax which has compelled the Worcester steel works to abandon the attempt to make steel rails in Massachusetts."

We see from this that the American system does not work so smoothly or so fairly as its advocates would have us believe. It is becoming every day more and more apparent that it is a most elaborate contrivance to enrich the few at the expense of the many. The people will see and appreciate this before very long.

ANOTHER WITNESS.

We showed our readers yesterday in what light the McKinley tariff is viewed by a great English newspaper. It may be thought that the London Times can hardly discuss that subject impartially and dispassionately. Americans and ultra-protectionists may say that it is prejudiced in favor of free trade, and that the injurious effect which the operations of that tariff must have on many British interests makes it impossible for the Times to form and express an unbiassed opinion on the subject. These objections are plausible, but we do not think that they are of any great force. Men of culture and great intellectual capacity get into the habit of treating subjects scientifically, and they follow where their reasoning leads them whether their conclusions agree or differ with their preconceived opinions or not. Nowhere does one see more searching criticism or more sweeping censure of British policy and of British public men than in British newspapers and British reviews. It appears to us that the opinion expressed by the Times as to the nature and the effect of the new American tariff is just the one that intelligent and thinking men of every nation, who are perfectly disinterested, would be likely to form. We are the more confirmed in this view when we read what a great American newspaper, which is perfectly free from the trammels of party, has to say on the same subject. The New York Herald's condemnation of the McKinley tariff is sharper and more sweeping than that of the London Times. The Herald discusses the tariff from the standpoint of the American consumer and taxpayer. It believes that it increases the burden of the consumer without giving him anything in return. This is what it says:—

"Its practical operation will be adverse to the best interests of the common people, and they will have ample cause to regret its passage. The capitalists have worked and lobbied for it because it affords them an opportunity to charge higher rates for their goods, and to pocket a larger profit. But the laboring man will find that he has to pay a little more here and a little more there for the necessaries of life, and these innumerable "littles" will seriously affect his income. He will discover in time for the next presidential election that the greatest good of the greatest number has been relentlessly sacrificed to the enrichment of a few whose gains are already abundant. The rich will perhaps grow richer through its influence, but the poor will surely grow poorer."

The Herald believes that not only does the McKinley tariff place heavy burdens grievous to be borne on the shoulders of the workingman without giving him any adequate return, but that it will have an injurious effect on the foreign commerce of the country. What it says on this subject will, no doubt, cause many citizens of the United States to reflect and to enquire whether, after all, this policy, which has been established to protect American industries, will really protect them. The Herald has come to the conclusion that it will not. It says:

"But, as a matter of general policy, we are sure that this bill is an egregious blunder. So far from encouraging our industries, it will depress them. So far from lightening the sharp burdens of toil, it will add to their weight. It will asphyxiate our foreign commerce, place obstacles in the way of a larger market, restrict the enterprise of manufacturers and cut the rates of labor as close to the starvation point as circumstances may permit.

"Such an adventurous people as we ought to be encouraged to roam the world over in search of purchasers. We have the genius to undersell all competitors in whatever clime and whatever the quality of goods they produce. Give us a fair chance, a free field and the consciousness that the government is behind us, and we can carve out success in spite of all comers. But this bill ties us hand and foot, slams the door of every mart in our faces, and practically tells us that an extensive and far reaching trade, in which we can safely trust ourselves to get the better end of the bargain, is a crime against the welfare of the country, and that to be cabined, cribbed, confined is the safest road to prosperity."

Is a policy which is open to such criticism as this likely to last? It must not be forgotten that the Herald expresses the views of millions of the electors of the United States. Tariff reform was the issue at the last presidential election. Mr. Cleveland had the courage to make his election turn on that question. He was not a free trader, but he advocated taking the taxes off the necessaries of life and the raw materials of manufacture. Our readers will remember that, although Mr. Cleveland lost his election, a majority of the votes polled were cast for him and the policy which he advocated. We find that opposition to the McKinley tariff is now the main plank in the Democratic platform. In Minnesota and in Oregon, where there are elections pending, the candidates claim the support of the electors because they oppose the burdensome and unfair taxation imposed by the Republican party's tariff. There is a powerful press on the side of the tariff reformers, and some of the ablest men in the United States are working hard and perseveringly to convince the people that the fiscal policy of the Harrison administration is burdensome to the people and injurious to the commerce of the country. This advocacy of sound principles will be certain to have its effect. The power of the manufacturing class and of the rich monopolies in whose interests the Republican party is legislating is, no doubt, very great, but we do not think that it will be long able to withstand the force of enlightened public opinion which, as we have seen, is already exceedingly strong.

THE SILVER BOOM.

The attempt of the United States Government to boom silver has not, as yet, been brilliantly successful. It has gone into the market and is compelled by law to purchase every month $4,500,000 worth of silver. Of course, the entrance of so large a purchaser as this, at first caused a considerable commotion among the buyers and sellers of silver, and the price jumped up very quickly. The silver men were in ecstacies. They believed that the success of their experiment was assured and that silver would soon go up to its old price, and that its proportionate value, compared with gold, would be restored—that the Government silver dollar would before long be intrinsically worth one hundred cents, according to the gold standard, instead of being, as it long has been, between seventy-five and eighty cents.

But corners, whether in silver or copper, or wheat, are little things to handle. Silver did not long keep its high price. It fell again, but not to so low a figure as it could be purchased for before the passage of the late law. The silver men and the anti-silver men differ as to the cause of the fall and as to the standing of silver in the future. The silver men say that the fall has been caused by injudicious speculation, and that the depression is only temporary. Their opponents declare that the fall in price is the natural result of the operation of the law, that it will fall lower still, and that the time is not far distant when the difference between the value of gold and the value of silver will be greater than ever it was. They say that the increase in price caused by the government demand will stimulate the production of silver, and that practically no bounds can be placed on the output of the silver mines in different parts of the world. Already the supply is far greater than was anticipated, and there is a prospect of its being greater still. The speculators who have induced the Government to go into the silver business are reminded of the fate of the copper syndicate. They were loaded down until the weight of the metal crushed them utterly. It is more than hinted that a similar fate awaits the speculators in "white metal." The political economists take something like this view, and some of the politicians are beginning to be afraid that, after all, they may be right. At any rate, it is admitted that the success of the experiment is by no means assured, and that a collapse of the silver market is very far from being an impossibility.

THE POTATO FAMINE.

It appears that the danger of famine in Ireland has been considerably exaggerated but there is very far from being no danger at all. The potato crop has completely failed in some districts and it is not by any means a good one in others. Careful observers say that there is not more than half a crop in the country. Unfortunately where the failure has been greatest the people are least prepared to meet it. The peasantry of the west of Ireland are very poor and they place their principal dependence on the potato. When the potato crop fails in that part of Ireland the people have nothing to fall back upon. They feel the pressure of want immediately.

It is folly to say that a conclusion cannot be formed as to the state of the potato crop before potato digging time arrives. Every farmer knows better than that. This year's potatoes have been used in every household for the last two months. Every day during that time potatoes have been taken from almost every potato patch, and the farmers know now, as well as they will ever know, what the yield will be. Where both stalks and tubers have rotted, or where growth has been stopped, the farmer has not to wait until the end of October to know what his fate is to be. In districts where the failure has been complete, relief is required immediately, and it is creditable to both the generosity and the intelligence of Americans that they do not intend to wait until they hear of death by starvation before they send relief. He who gives quickly in a case like this gives wisely. It is to be hoped that the British Government will not allow officialism and red tape to stand in the way of helping those who need help as soon as it is required. There is in the official mind a seemingly irresistible tendency towards dilatoriness. The official is never in a hurry, it is almost impossible to induce him to go out of the ordinary routine, no matter what may be the emergency. Armies may perish for want of necessaries that are in store and at hand, and thousands may suffer for want of relief that can be just as easily extended to-day as a month hence; but the official goes on calmly with the work of drawing out forms and he will not allow any thing to be done until the last form is filled in and the last knot of red tape tied. The official is not a fool, neither is he utterly heartless; he is simply the slave of routine. The dreadful realities of the outside world are nothing to him. He does not see them nor feel them. He must do his duty in the regular way, and if the soldier or the peasant suffers, so much the worse for him.

It is greatly to be hoped that the work of relieving the starving Irish cottars will be carried on with promptness and energy, but it appears, from the tone of late despatches, that the authorities are, as usual, slow to realize what are the requirements of the emergency.

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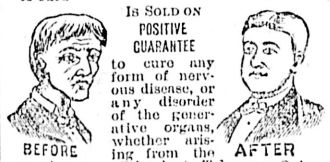

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New Business.

Irving A. Lemm, 113 Fort street, having embarked in the cord-wood business, is prepared to deliver large or small quantities of fine dry wood to all parts of the city at current rates.

Is He Here?

One of the Chinamen implicated in the Dalles, Oregon, bank robbery, is believed to be at the present time in Victoria. He is an elderly man, over 50 years of age, and has the appearance of a well-to-do merchant. The police are on the look-out for him, stimulated by the offer of $500 reward from Thiel's detective agency.

The Hunters' Meeting.

At the meeting of the seal hunters, held on Wednesday night, a rate of $3 per skin was agreed upon for next season. This is much better than the $5 as first contemplated, and will probably be allowed by the owners. The hunters also arranged certain details in connection with signing of articles and discussed other points of interest to them.

The Late Miss Howes.

The funeral of the late Miss Howes, who died a few days ago in the Jubilee hospital, was a very simple and impressive ceremony. The service took place in the hospital grounds, beath the shade of a large oak tree, and thence the remains were borne to the cemetery and consigned to the grave in the presence of a large number of sorrowing friends. Miss Howes was much loved by all with whom she came in contact.

A Wrong Charge.

The charge against Richard Maynard for illegally shooting a hen pheasant, was before the Provincial police court again yesterday and further evidence taken for the defence. Mr. Maynard produced conclusive proof that he had not left the house on the day in question, and that there must have been some mistake made in bringing the charge. The court was satisfied with the testimony given in this connection and acquitted him in toto of the charge.

Death of Miss Frances Murray.

Frances Catherine, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Murray, died at the residence of her parents, North Park street, yesterday afternoon. The deceased young lady, who was on the threshold of womanhood, had been ill for many months, and her death, although a severe blow to her father and mother, was not unexpected. She herself knew that her recovery was hopeless, and with patient resignation she awaited the end. The late Miss Murray was a favorite with all her companions, and they sympathise keenly with the afflicted parents.

The Grismer-Davies Company.

The sale of seats is now progressing for the well-known favorites, Jos. R. Grismer, Phœbe Davies and their own company, which appears at The Victoria next Tuesday and Wednesday evenings, October 14 and 15. On this occasion they will present for the opening night Mr. Gunter's great melodrama, "Two Nights in Rome," in an elaborate manner. For Wednesday evening, the greatest of all melodramas, by Chas. Gaylor, entitled "Lights and Shadows." As the Grismers are known to all the theatre-goers, they will, no doubt, be welcomed with crowded houses. Seats can be secured for both nights at M. W. Waitt's without extra charge.

Drowned.

Mr. A. Hodnett, proprietor of the Brunswick hotel, yesterday afternoon received intelligence of the drowning of his brother Alexander in Nitinat Sound. The deceased left here about one week ago with a survey party who were to locate and block out lands on the West Coast. Nitinat Sound was reached, and Alex. Hodnett climbed to the top of a commanding bluff to obtain a better view of the country. Either he ventured too near the edge, or the ground was not solid as he thought, for the edge broke and he was precipitated into the waters of the Sound. Despite the efforts made to save him his life was lost, and up till the hour the messenger left the sound his body had not been recovered.

Not as Usual.

Usually the principal feature of an equine runaway is the series of wonderful escapes of a hairbreadth nature attending all that comes in the path of the flying animal. This was not so yesterday with a fugitive horse on Johnson street. He came across a man on turning up Store street, and knocked him down with all the force of a frightened beast. The poor man, who, by the way, had left the hospital only the previous day, was picked up in an unconscious state and taken into the California hotel, where every effort was made to restore him and alleviate any pain which he might be suffering. It is feared that he has received severe internal injuries. The horse's career was interrupted finally, shortly after he passed the corner.

The U. S. Fall Elections.

The American colony resident in Victoria, like their fellow-countrymen both at home and abroad, are watching with keen interest the progress of the canvass in the various States for the fall elections. Naturally, the opinion of individuals at a distance is governed more or less by their personal or political predilections. This year, all the States elect members of Congress, and some of them State officials. There is everywhere likely to be a keen contest for the election of members of the House of Representatives. It is the opinion of some people that the Democrats have, on the whole, but little show of obtaining a victory. The Republicans have controlled the Senate almost continually for a number of years, and even should the Democrats capture the south by the suppression of the negro vote, it is scarcely thought to be possible that the existing position of affairs will be materially interfered with.

The McKinley Tariff.

Since the passage of the new customs regulations of the United States—known as the McKinley Tariff, which came into effect on Monday last—numerous anxious enquiries have been addressed to U.S. Consul Meyers as to how its incidence may affect different interests. The official copy of the law has not yet been received, on which account it has so far been impossible to give any very direct or authoritative information. Among the interests so far heard from on the subject are meats, fruits, fish, bricks, lime, old iron, hay, etc. In these articles particularly, considerable trade has been done between this province and the adjoining states, and large shipments, which it had been intended to forward under the old arrangement, will be forced to bear the new imposts because of the rapidity with which the new law went into effect. The opinion is that one or two institutions which have been established here, and have done business with both countries, will either be compelled to establish themselves on the other side the line or abandon their American trade.

Programme.

PART III.

Decide to visit the Lansdowne, Yates street on Thursday next and give careful attention to the dress stuff, silks, velvets, furs laces, and other goods.

JOHN PARTRIDGE.

In Touch with the Times.

Among other handsome looking private residences being added to the city's architectural wealth is that recently built and now being furnished by Mr. Wm. Dalby, off the Fernwood road. The style of architecture is a compromise between the Elizabethan and some undefined modern idea. This makes the structure seem original in a large respect from the exterior, but inside everything is arranged for convenience and comfort. The grounds are being very tastefully laid out, Mr. Dalby feeling that pleasant surroundings are as necessary to domestic comfort without as well as within the home.

To Close the Exhibition.

The City Council chamber resounded with merry music and rippling laughter last evening very different from the grave, deliberative proceedings of the night previous. The occasion was the invitation ball bringing to an end the first annual exhibition of the Art Association. There was a select number of guests present, and the floor of the council room was in splendid condition. Both ends of the chamber were prettily trimmed with flags, etc., and supper was served at midnight by Mr. Henry Clay. Mr. Pauline's orchestra of five pieces supplied the music, and the dancers enjoyed themselves thoroughly. The evening's entertainment was hurriedly arranged by a committee of two, who worked hard to make it a success.

A Pretty Sight.

Those who chanced to be in the neighborhood of the water front at about 5 o'clock last evening, were afforded an opportunity of witnessing a very pretty sight. For several weeks past Government scows have been making preparations for the blasting out of Beaver rock, in the inner harbor; and at the hour mentioned their labors were completed, and the long looked for explosion occurred. Unfortunately no notice had been given, and consequently only a few casual spectators were on hand. The force of the explosion shook the wharves and the buildings from the custom house to Turner, Beeton & Co.'s, and a column of water and heavy pieces of rock rose in the form of a thick column about ten feet in diameter, to a height of about sixty feet. It is thought that the blast was thoroughly successful—it was in one way, for the terrible concussion caused the death of a multitude of fish, some large and some small, which were to be seen floating on the surface as soon as the water had again become tranquil. The more tiresome work of picking out the rocks broken by the blast will now be commenced.

LITTLE LOCALS.

The grass fire bobbed up serenely at the old cemetery yesterday.

Coal beds, at prices, at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

The men of H.M.S. Champion were given a general leave yesterday.

A large assortment of I. X. L. and Roger's cuttlery at 91 Douglas street.

The Warspite and Espiegle are expected to return to Esquimalt to-day.

Artistic novelties in bamboo furniture, just received by John Weiler, 51 to 55 Fort street.

The revenue cutter Richard Rush has arrived at Port Townsend from Behring Sea.

His Honor, the Lieutenant-Governor, and Mrs. Nelson, will give a ball on the 21st instant.

Another carload of stoves at Geo. Powell & Co.'s, Chemside.

Officer Smith has found a valuable Gordon setter, for which he would like to find an owner.

Razors in cases, ladies companions, a new line of pocket cutlery and shaving materials, just arrived, at Fox's 78 Government street.

Steamer City of Kingston brought in four carloads of sheep and two of general merchandise last evening.

The Yorkshire Guarantee and Securities Corporation, Ltd., has been registered under the Companies' Act.

Unique music cabinets, ladies' secretaries, tea tables, shaving stands, etc., at John Weiler's.

H.M.S. Amphion has returned from Vancouver. She engaged in target practice yesterday in the Straits.

Rev. Mr. Hobson of Vancouver, district organizer, addressed the meeting of the Sons of England last night.

Inspect the fine assortment of China now opening at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas St.

John Grieard has a case against the C.P.N. Co., in the City Police Court this morning, for refusing to pay wages.

A change in the programme of the Senatorial committee on naval yard site has prevented their paying Victoria a visit.

Mrs. C. Bossi has donated the entire proceeds of nine prizes won at the recent fair to the building fund of the St. Andrew's R. C. Cathedral.

The Salvation Army has another rival for the possession of Campbell's Corner in the persons of a trio of evangelists, who hold forth nightly.

Windsor & Newton's artist's colors at 91 Douglas street.

The cheap clothes pedlar, arrested on Wednesday on suspicion that his wares were stolen, has been discharged from custody, there being no criminating evidence against him.

Only sixty cents for a self wringing mop at R. A. Brown & Co.'s, Douglas street.

Those who went on the Islander's northern trip will have a handsome souvenir of it in a set of the admirable photographs taken en route. They are now finished and on view at Messrs. Hibben & Co.'s store.

The C. P. R. are selling excursion tickets to Banff and return at $30. These tickets are limited to 60 days and allow passengers the privilege of stopping off at Harrison Hot Springs, Glacier and Field. A. Cameron, agent.

Now that the sealing season has reached its limit and the sealers have nearly all returned, Mr. M. J. Davis, Joseph Ullman's representative, is thinking of returning to his home in the East till the season opens again.

The annual district meeting of the Ancient Order of Foresters will be held at Nanaimo this afternoon. Representatives from Courts Northern Light and Vancouver left by this morning's train to attend the same.

An Indian, who returned from hop-picking down the Sound a few days since, called at the police station, last evening, and laid an information against a white man for stealing $100 from him. The man was arrested and lodged in the police station, to appear before the magistrate this morning.

A rather spirited horse, owned by Mr. Andrew Gray, was startled yesterday by a hack running into the buggy to which it was attached. Both vehicles were crossing Rock Bay bridge at the time, and on Mr. Gray's horse starting off, a man and boy occupying the buggy were thrown out and slightly injured. The horse was afterwards captured up town, but not till he had completely wrecked the buggy.

Akin Lambert's Gold Pen and Pencil Cases. T. N. Hibben & Co.'s.

MERELY A BUSINESS TRIP.

Mr. George Olds, C. P. R. General Traffic Manager, Notices a Wonderful Improvement in Victoria.

Mr. George Olds, general traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific railway, was in town yesterday, having crossed the continent with Sir George Baden-Powell and Mr. Bryce Douglas. His trip is merely one of general inspection and business, but in order to combine with it the holiday which the duties of his office prevent his taking, he prevailed upon his wife and daughter to accompany him. He thus made the journey one of pleasure as far as possible.

Mr. Olds has nothing of a public nature to say beyond the fact that he has found everything along the line fully up to his expectations. The harvest in Manitoba attracted a good deal of attention this year, but the splendid returns in that direction have allayed any fears that may have been entertained in the beginning of the year. The company will have no difficulty in moving the grain when the time comes, which will be very shortly now. When it does commence, the movement will be very rapid.

The line through the Kootenay country, Mr. Olds expects, will be completed in a couple of weeks, but it is doubtful if it can be worked this fall. Speaking of Victoria, Mr. Olds said the city had improved and increased wonderfully since he was here four years ago. He was much pleased with the class of buildings that he saw going up. Indeed, he did not know any other town of its size that showed better evidence of prosperity within a short period.

The first of the new steamers will reach here about the middle of April, the others to follow within a month each. Mr. Olds returned East by the Islander this morning.

SUCCESS ACHIEVED AT LAST.

Victoria & Esquimalt Linked by the Magical Electric Wire—The First Car.

What was practically, though not formally, the inauguration of the Esquimalt extension of the street car line took place yesterday when the first passenger car was run from the power house to Esquimalt town. Among the party on board were:—Hon. D. W. Higgins, Dr. Milne, T. J. Jones, W. G. Cameron, directors, Superintendent Whitney, W. R. Higgins, W. S. Gore, T. S. Gore, John Coughlan, W. F. Bullen, A. G. Sargison, J. Lugley, Chief Engineer Menaugh, Herbert Stanton, members of the press and a number of others.

It was merely a pioneer trip, but it more than fully demonstrated the advantage the line is going to be both to Victoria and Esquimalt. The run down was chequered by those slight obstacles incidental to a new road, but to-day the picks and shovels of the construction gang will smooth away all difficulties and make everything clear for Sunday's traffic. Coming back, the trip was made in 25 minutes without any attempt at making a record.

The formal opening will not take place till December, when the new power will be working, but on Sunday hourly trips will be commenced, fare for the round trip to be 25c., with a scale in proportion for intermediate points.

There was no demonstration of any kind, although the car came back to town with the triumphant broom aloft. The ride alone is an extremely pleasant one, and will be undertaken by many people for that cause alone.

W. C. T. U. MEETING.

Yesterday's Deliberation of the Members—Mass Meeting in the Evening.

The meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was continued yesterday in the Calvary Baptist church, morning and afternoon, the president, Mrs. Cunningham, in the chair. The sessions were devoted to the reception of the reports of departments and discussions to these reports. A committee was appointed to ascertain what could be done towards getting a bed in the Jubilee hospital. The committee on resolutions was called upon to take action with respect to the subject of teachers for provincial gaols. A long discussion took place on the subject of the Refuge Home, a report with respect to which was submitted by Mrs. Spofford. The Home had had 13 inmates, and for it $1,490 had been raised.

Last night a mass meeting was held in Pandora street Methodist church, when forcible addresses were delivered by Hon. John Robson and Rev. M. L. Rugg, a very thoughtful paper being read by Mrs. J. W. Young. The proceedings were enlivened by a very pleasing series of musical selections.

This morning the convention resumes business in Calvary church, there being several important items to dispose of.

A BIG BLOCK.

Mr. C. Bossi Will Add Materially to the Appearance of Three City Streets.

Not the least important of the many new buildings to be erected within the limits of Victoria will be a plain but substantial brick block to extend from Pandora street, along Blanchard to Johnson. The owner of the property is Mr. C. Bossi, and he intends the new building for use either as an hotel or for stores.

Already operations have been commenced at the corner of Pandora and Blanchard streets, where a building will be complete ere the middle of winter, with a frontage of 80 feet on the latter thoroughfare by a depth of 60 on the former. It will be three stories in height, of solid brick, and complete in all modern appointments. The erection of the block will be proceeded with in the spring, and its cost cannot be much less than $75,000 or $100,000. The building, for which excavation is now being done, will cost about $15,000.

Mining News.

MINING experts note that cholera never attacks the bowels of the earth, but humanity in general find it necessary to use Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry for bowel complaints, dysentery, diarrhœa, etc. It is a sure cure.

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A FRANK CONFESSION.

A Bright Lady Talks About a Certain Characteristic of Victoria's People,

And Joins the Majority by Demonstrating that She no Longer Entertains Doubts.

"We are very slow to take up with strangers here," said a Victoria lady yesterday. "We always hold aloof from specialists who advertise until we have good evidence that they are both skillful and experienced."

This remark was made in one of the parlors of the Driard House, and the lady was easily and quickly satisfied that she had made no mistake in calling upon Dr. Seward, the celebrated optician, for advice and assistance in improving her sight.

The editor of THE COLONIST has examined Mr. Seward's credentials, and is satisfied that he is a straightforward, conscientious gentleman, as well as a thoroughly competent optician, and is wearing a pair of glasses fitted by Mr. Seward, which he pronounces excellent in every way.

A large number of prominent citizens, well known ladies, and people in all walks of life here, have been fitted with Mr. Seward's fine glasses, which are giving the utmost satisfaction. A sure proof of this is the fact that many of these people are now taking friends who are afflicted with weak or defective sight to see Mr. Seward, whose parlor at the Driard House is a very busy busy place.

The People's Mistake.

PEOPLE make a sad mistake often with serious results when they neglect a constipated condition of the bowels. Knowing that Burdock Blood Bitters is an effectual cure at any stage of constipation, does not warrant us in neglecting to use it at the right time. Use it now.

Programme.

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140 dozen Ladies' Handkerchiefs, Fancy and Colored Borders, 50c per dozen, worth $1.00.
Lace Curtains, Taped and Bound, from 75c per pair.
Ladies' Cloth Jackets, from $2.50, 25 p.c. under regular prices.
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THE GREAT CRASH HAS COME.

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Plush Jackets, ... at $6.75 worth $10.00 | Diagonal Cloth Jackets, ... at $2.75 worth $3.75
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Ladies' Chemise, ... each 45c | Ladies' Night Dresses, ... each from 65c to $2.00
Ladies' Chemise, trimmed with embroidery, each 50c.
50 dozen Ladies' Handkerchiefs at 45c per dozen.
Ladies' Hose, Striped and plain, ... per pair 20c | *Lot of Childrens' Hose, ... per pair 10c
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50 pieces all wool Grey Flannel (Chambly Mills) at 20c per yard

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8-4 Grey Sheeting, ... 20c per yard | Plaid Ginghams .. .. .. 14 yards for $1.00
Stripped Flannelettes, ... 10 yards for $1.00 | Plaid Flannelettes, extra heavy, new goods, 9 yards for 1.00

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Double width Cashmeres, 40 inches wide, .. 25c per yard | Fancy Check Dress Goods, ... 10c per yard
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AMUSEMENTS.

RACES.

Under the distinguished patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.

The Victoria Jockey Club will hold its semi-annual meeting on FRIDAY and SATURDAY, October 10 and 11, 1890, at the Victoria Driving Park, where the following programme of races will be presented:—

1st DAY—Friday, Oct. 10, 1890.

First Race—Trotting and pacing, 2:40 class, three in five heats; purse $250.
Second Race—Running, three-eighths mile and repeat; purse $150.
Third Race—Trotting and pacing, 2:50 class, entries limited to horses owned by bona fide residents of the Province entered by owner, two in three heats; entrance, $5; prize, silver cup.
Fourth Race—Running, one mile dash, open to all stallions; purse $150.

2d DAY—Saturday, Oct. 11, 1890.

Fifth Race—Trotting and pacing, 2:30 class, three in five heats; purse $300.
Sixth Race—Running, one-half mile and repeat; purse $150.
Seventh Race—Running, 1½ mile dash; purse $250.
Eighth Race—Running, one-half mile dash, open to all ponies 14.2 and under, to be ridden by boys 15 years of age and under; entrance free; prize, medal.
Ninth—High jumping contest, open to all horses, gentlemen riders; entrance $5, prize silver cup.

In all purse races four or more are required to enter and three to start.
In all purse races the entrance is 10 per cent.
All purses will be divided into three moneys, 70, 20 and 10 per cent.
Entries close Monday, October 6, 1890, with secretary.

The Jockey Club have arranged to give bonds for foreign horses, and will pass them through the Customs. For any further information as to conditions or otherwise, apply to E. W. MATTHEWS, Esq., Hon. Secretary V. J. C., Post Office Box 668. se26

Victoria Theatre.

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The services of Mr. J. K. Rae, the eminent Scottish Reader and Humorist, have been secured at great expense.
The following local talent have kindly consented to assist in the entertainment: Mrs. Clark, Misses Barry, Stephen and Russell, and Messrs. Brown, Nash, Grant, Firth and Kinnaird.
Tickets 50 cents, at leading stores and from members of society. Oct8

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PORT CRESCENT.

A FEW UNDENIABLE FACTS:

President T. F. Oakes says the Victoria, Port Crescent and Chehalis Railway will be completed by the 31st December, 1891. This will make Port Crescent the terminus of the strongest corporation on the American Continent. Work on the breakwater will commence immediately and will be completed during next year; the Harbor will then accommodate 120 ships, allowing one cable (see Minard on Harbors) to each large merchant vessel in which to swing, not including twice that number which might be tied up to wharves. Port Crescent will then be possessed of one of the best harbors on the coast.

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YESTERDAY'S DISPATCHES.

Berlin Gossip.

BERLIN, Oct. 7.—A few months ago Count Von Walderez, chief of the general staff, who stands in the relationship of an uncle of the emperor on his wife's side, had the misfortune to reject a memorandum on military strategy which had been sent to his office anonymously, but of which the emperor himself was the author. The Kaiser thereupon referred the document to Field Marshal Von Moltke, and the latter decided the emperor's judgment was right and Von Walderez's wrong. The emperor's uncle narrowly escaped being relieved of his post on account of this incident, but the affair was patched up until one day during the Silesian maneuvres, a fortnight ago, when the emperor ordered General Von Lescezinski to lead an assault on the position of a supposed enemy directly in contradiction to plans laid down by Count Von Walderez. Lescezinski, who enjoys the imperial favor, succeeded in carrying out this movement entirely to His Majesty's satisfaction, and it is now expected that Count Von Walderez will have to hand in his long-expected resignation. Even his niece, the Empress, will not be able to save him this time, and Lescezinski is already looked upon as his successor. The manœuvres have also proved to be a death blow to the ambitions of Rear Admirals Schering and Peschen, who will resign in due time. Four German admirals have now had their say on the value of Heligoland as a German possession. Their opinions are evenly divided. The last admiral to speak is Herr Balsch, and his opinion is that the island is of little importance.

The Defranchised Constabulary.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—The members of the Royal Irish Constabulary, who are graduated from various universities in Great Britain and Ireland, are preparing a petition to parliament to be permitted to vote for members of the house of commons. The law as at present existing disfranchises policemen both in Ireland and England.

The Tariff Bill.

LONDON, Oct. 7.—Considerable commotion begins to be excited in Lancashire and other manufacturing counties by the McKinley tariff bill. Its probable effect has not been understood until the last few days, the English free trade papers taking the ground that an extension of the prohibition system of the United States must benefit British commerce. Workingmen now laugh at this theory, and are thoroughly alarmed at the prospect that their goods are to be excluded, in a great degree, from the American markets. An extensive movement is projected for the bringing of pressure to bear upon parliament, with a view to the imposing of duties on American manufactures, canned goods, agricultural products, and other commodities. There has long been a party here anxious to raise the revenue from duties, but public opinion hitherto has been against it. The new tariff act is already producing a great change in this respect. Workingmen are fast coming to the conclusion that it is not right for their government to take all American goods duty free, while the United States enormously increases its duties on English goods. It will be impossible for any government to keep this question in abeyance much longer.

Costly Costumes.

PARIS, Oct. 7.—Society here is again busy with the private affairs of Mrs. Harriet Ayers, a rich American widow. It is said she certainly must contemplate matrimony, for she is having a magnificent assortment of robes and costumes made at Worth's. Her name is linked with that of a well-known aristocrat, though it is understood that she denies any intention of changing her name. The great French milliner says she is the best customer he has had this season, which means a great deal to a man who will curl his lips at a $50,000 order from anybody. A lady who has seen some of the dresses declares they include a bridal and travelling robes worth $65,000. People wonder if Mrs. Ayers is going to spring a big sensation in the American colony soon.

A Noted Outlaw Killed.

MEMPHIS, TENN., Oct. 8.—Rube Burrows, the noted outlaw and train robber, who was captured yesterday and jailed at Linden, Ala., was shot and killed at daylight this morning by J. C. Carter, one of his captors. Last night Burrows was placed in the sheriff's office inside the jail, under guard of a man named McDuffie, one of his captors, and a negro named Carter. The other captor was at a hotel with the money found on Burrow's person yesterday when he was arrested. The outlaw's hands and feet were tied and every precaution taken to prevent his getting away. Early this morning he complained of hunger. McDuffie answered that he had nothing to eat. A pair of saddle bags, which had been taken from the prisoner, were lying in the room. Looking to them in a careless sort of way, the outlaw observed, "I have some crackers in my saddle bags, if will you kindly hand them to me." McDuffie suspected nothing and handed the saddlebags over without opening them. Burrows, instead of the crackers, drew forth a pair of pistols, and covering McDuffie and the negro, ordered them to untie him, which they did, and keeping them in front of him he walked out of the front door. He then asked for his money and started toward the hotel to recover it of Carter, who had it. The latter, of course, was greatly surprised to see Burrows, whom he supposed was bound hand and foot in jail. Burrows drew his revolver and demanded the money. Both then opened fire, and Burrows was killed, while Carter received an ugly wound in the breast. The affair has created intense excitement. Carter is a hero. The extent of his injuries is not known at present.

A Murderer's Romantic Escape.

GREENVILLE, S. C., Oct. 7.—Bill Howard, who is under death sentence for the murder of a confederate in the moonshine whiskey business over a year ago, escaped from prison here this morning. Howard's wife was allowed to spend the night in the cell with her husband. In the morning Howard, dressed in his wife's clothes, came down the stairs of the jail with his infant in his arms, and leaving the baby at a relative's house he fled before the jailer had discovered the trick that had been played on him. Mrs. Howard, who is a buxom mountain girl of seventeen years, now occupies the cell vacated by her husband.

Shipping.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Sailed—Steamers Williamette, Port Townsend; Empire, Nanaimo.

A Result of the Tariff.

CHICAGO, Oct. 7.—A morning paper says: "It is definitely asserted that plans for the establishment of an extensive tin plate manufactory in Chicago have been formed. For more than a year past such an enterprise has been considered, but since the introduction of the McKinley bill with its tax on tinplate, which practically prohibits its importation into this country in face of any competition, the plan has assumed definite shape. The passage of the bill settled all questions and the last doubt was removed. It is said the firm will be capitalized for $4,500,000, and give employment to 3,500 men. The tin ore will be brought from the Black Hills and North Carolina. Armour, Swift and other large packers of canned meats are said to be among the promoters.

ALBERNI.

"J. H. P." Sends Some Items of Gossip in the Settlement.

Mr. R. Pemberton has completed his contract of the Lomas river bridge. It is an ornamental as well as a very substantial structure, and all are agreed that it fills a "long felt want." Formerly Sproat Lake settlers going to and from the store were subject to a four-bit fee to the Indians for canoe passage.

The lately almost deserted Indian villages are taking on a life-like appearance again, as the occupants return by occasional canoe loads from the hop fields of Washington; and the dismal chant and almost steady beat of the savage drum are familiar sounds once more.

Mr. Sutton has spent much time in and about Alberni seeking for sufficient good timber to warrant him in the construction of a large sawmill here. It is said that a company has located timber here on government land, whose mill is already situated in a part of the province to which it is impossible to tow logs from this place, and not being bound to build a mill may hold it in its natural state for an indefinite time. It is a pity if such be the case; that men who are ready and willing to open up an industry are debarred for want of timber, while others hold it without using it.

A tall, handsome, fair-haired youth, whose thoughts were of romance, and whose idol was an estimable maiden of Alberni, carried on for a year past a courtship in defiance of the mild protestations of his lady-love's parents. At last, despairing of gaining their consent, the young couple went before a clergyman from Nanaimo on the evening of Oct. 3, and were joined in wedlock. The bridegroom's parents live near the seaside at the mouth of Barclay Sound, and thither speed they.

"It is the hour when lovers vows seem sweet in every whispered word." The wind blew hard, the waves rolled high, and steadily the warm rain oozed from the clouds. The night, too, was dark, but the young bride, like Lord Ullin's daughter, would face all this peril, but not the fiery flash of an angry father's eye. So, procuring an Indian canoe, manned by its owner, they "turned to the light of home" and sped away down the Alberni canal, while the community wishes them every happiness and prosperity.

A large wolf was shot in the settlement a few miles up the river by an Indian, who was not burdened with much intelligence, but enough to collect $5 bounty.

Oct. 6. J. H. P.

Timely Wisdom.

GREAT and timely wisdom is shown by keeping Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry on hand. It has no equal for cholera, cholera morbus, diarrhœa, dysentery, colic, cramps, and all summer complaints or looseness of the bowels.

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JOHN RICHARDS.

Victoria, Oct. 3rd, 1890. oct-1m

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NOTICES.

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

Estate of AUSTIN A. ORDANO, Deceased.

The undersigned executors of the will of the deceased have taken out Probate of the same, and hereby request that all debtors to the estate will make payment, and all creditors will present their bills forthwith to

JAMES BOAL,
EDWARD H. FORREST,
PASQUATE FRUMENTO,
P.O. Address Cortfield, V.I. The Executors.

SALOON AND STORE FOR SALE.

The executors of the will of Austin A. Ordano, deceased, invite tenders which will be received up to the 20th September instant, for the purchase of the lease for six years, retail liquor license, stock of goods, goodwill and fixtures of the saloon and store known as the "CENTRAL HOUSE," situate at McPherson's station and carried on by the deceased at the time of his death. Neither the highest nor any tender necessarily accepted. se7

Re Uriah Nelson, deceased, Notice to Debtors and Creditors.

ALL PERSONS having claims or demands against the estate of Uriah Nelson, late of the city of Victoria, deceased, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing duly authenticated to the undersigned on or before the 4th day of November 1890, otherwise the same will be barred; and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1890.

J. C. HAYES,
Agent for John Grant and Mrs. Nelson, executor and executrix of the will of said deceased.
oct Box 415 Victoria, B. C.

Re. Frederick W. H. Wright, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS against the estate of the above named deceased are requested to forward the same on or before the 18th day of October next, and all persons indebted to the said estate are requested to pay the same forthwith to

JEANETTE WRIGHT,
Executrix, or to
F. G. RICHARDS, JR.,
Acting for the Executrix.
Dated this 18th day of September, A.D. 1890.
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NOTICE TO MARINERS.

AS WORK WILL AT ONCE BE COMMENCED to take out Beaver Rock it is requested that all vessels coming in or going out of Victoria harbor must give the scows or barges employed in this work as broad a berth as possible, and also to go at slow speed.

A red light will be exhibited on the southeast corner of the scow or barge from dark until daylight while the work is being done.

W. R. CLARKE,
sep10-1m Harbor Master.

NOTICE TO MARINERS.

THE MASTERS AND PILOTS BRINGING vessels into Victoria Harbor, and wishing to anchor after having done so temporarily, must apply at once to the Harbor Master for an anchorage berth.

W. R. CLARKE,
se10-1m Harbor Master.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT THE partnership heretofore existing between the undersigned and known as the Star Ship Yard Co., has been dissolved by mutual consent, E. Kermode and S. McC. Smith retiring from the business, which will, in future, be carried on by O. Warner from date, by whom all liabilities are assumed and to whom all accounts are payable.

O. WARNER,
S. McC. SMITH,
Sept. 30, 1890. E. KERMODE.

The undersigned respectfully solicits the patronage of vessel-owners, and will endeavor to merit their confidence.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT thirty days after date we intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for a lease of the following described tract of land, situate on the first Gordon Pasha Lake, New Westminster District:

Commencing from a post on the North side of the lake, about 20 chains from the outlet, thence North 60 chains, thence East 60 chains, thence South 60 chains more or less to the lake, thence following the lake shore in a Westerly direction to the place of commencement, containing 360 acres more or less.

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A FEMALE ENGINEER.

She Has Successfully Run an Engine for Three Years.

To see a woman running an engine in real life is a genuine novelty. The fair sex occasionally run engines in novels, on the stage and so on, but a real, live female engineer is a new sensation. Of course this one is in Chicago, and of course she is young and pretty. They always are. The romance of the case is, however, cut out by the cold-blooded announcement that she is not doing it to save a husband, lover or father's life or liberty. She is purely mercenary. The stipend drawn at the end of each week is all that she is after. Her name is not known. Perhaps this is where the romantic part comes in. Perhaps otherwise. Be this or that as it may, she is a flesh and blood reality. When a reporter for the Chicago Herald called at the place where this novelty works he stated his business to a young lady clerk, and asked to see the woman who runs the engine.

"A lady is our engineer," tittered the clerk, "but she is busy and can't see any reporters."

"Can she be seen?" was asked.

"No," was the answer. "She will see no one, unless it is an examiner of engineers, and then she will be found ready and anxious to answer all questions."

The lady engineer, as she is styled, has had charge of the Bee Hive laundry engine for about three years, during which time she had no trouble and has apparently been well able to attend to all the duties devolving upon her. Her principal claim for competency, however, is that she has taken her engine apart and placed it together again without seriously damaging its component parts or detracting from its power. Questions to be propounded to her by the reporter were furnished by an engineer, but she declined to answer any questions at all unless they came from the board of engineers. These queries were regarding her knowledge of how to figure on her safety valve, her boiler's horse-power and her engine's horse-power. That she can demonstrate properly on all these intricacies she does not doubt, and is anxious to have the board of examiners pass on her case.

E. C. Dicey, of the board, said in regard to this woman: "If a woman can successfully pass the required examination there is no law to prevent her continuing the practice of engineering. This case will be rigidly looked into, and unless this lady engineer can tell all about an engine she will have to give up her position to a competent engineer."

GYPSY PRINCE WILLIAM.

His Wealth, His Wife and the Chariot That Barnum Coveted.

Prince William is the richest gypsy in America, perhaps, and he rolls about the world in a big silver and gold chariot, the grandest wagon in New England, says the Hartford (Conn.) Times. Prince William is smart and shrewd. He drives a troop of horses and trades them to farmers. His wife goes about the towns at which he halts and tells fortunes for twenty-five cents or one dollar an augury. Not long ago Princess Mary William told Mrs. Ibith, of Rockville, that her husband was a "regular Don Juan." Mrs. Ibith pitched into Ibith, and then Don Juan whipped Princess Mary. The affair made Rockville unattractive to the prince, so he rallied his band, mounted the lofty seat of his flaming chariot, and, with his troop of horses trailing behind, rolled over the rough hills through lofty Hebron towns into Hartford.

He is still in Hartford, having had his chariot repainted and embellished. It is a wonderful affair. No Pharoah ever rushed to battle in one body so big, flashing and cumbrous. It is chariot and home both to the chief and his wife. They sit on the high seat as they travel, overlooking a league of country; when they are encamped they sleep inside. The interior is beautifully fitted up; the walls are covered with elegant and costly hangings. It is comfortable, warm and cozy. Outside the carriage is a work of art. The sides are handsomely paneled, painted and varnished. The groundwork is of maroon color, and the ornamentation of gold. On the panels are oil paintings of hunting and sporting scenes. The wheels and running gear are painted to match the body, and all the metal work is triple silver-plated.

The gypsy prince is about to set out on his great tour, and proposes to go in gorgeous style. The chariot has cost Prince William altogether $2,500. It was built for $1,500, and the improvement at Hartford cost $1,000 more. At one time P. T. Barnum saw the gypsy chief riding about in splendor and tried to buy the outfit, but Prince William is just as big a chief as Barnum, and he wouldn't sell it.

Weeping Trees in the Northwest.

In the forests of Washington and British Columbia I have frequently seen trees dripping copiously during clear, bright days, when no dew was visible elsewhere. The dripping was so profuse that the ground underneath was almost saturated. The phenomenon in this case was caused by the remarkable condensing power of the leaves of the fir, and it occurred only when the relative humidity was near the dew point. The dripping ceases after ten or eleven o'clock in the morning, but resumes at or near sunset. In Hakluyt's "Voyages" there is an account of Hawkin's second voyage to Africa and America, written by a gentleman who sailed with Hawkins, in which we are told that in the island of Ferro there is a weeping tree that supplies all the men and beasts of the island with drink, there being no other available water supply. Further, he states that in Guinea he saw many weeping trees, but of a species different from that at Ferro.

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NAMES OF DOCTORS

What an Editor Discovered in a New Directory of Physicians.

Something might be said in favor of the primitive practice of naming men after they were grown up, instead of while they were babies. Under the present system it often happens that a man's name is curiously out of keeping with his character or pursuits. The literary editor of the Doctor has lately been examining a new directory of physicians, and seems to have been greatly impressed by the singularity and inappropriateness of some of the names contained in it.

He thinks, for example, that Doctor Coffin might sound unpleasantly suggestive to a nervous patient, though less so, perhaps, than another name which follows it—Doctor Death. A timid person might object to Doctor Sexton also, and if one were very sick, indeed, it would certainly seem ominous if Doctor Death, Doctor Coffin and Doctor Sexton were to hold a consulation at his bedside.

Other names almost as bad as the foregoing are Doctor Butcher and Doctor Slaughter, though they occur several times each in the directory. There are two Doctor Cranks—fewer than might have been expected—and one Doctor Craze, who is perhaps in charge of an insane asylum.

Some of the names may be called inappropriately appropriate, such as Aiken, Carver, Cutter, Hash, Diet, Hart, Mangle, Pellett, Pillmore, Tomb and Teothaker. Doctor Ague and Dr. Shivers might very well be partners, and if a third man were wanted they could hardly do better than to call in Doctor Sweat.

Other names are anatomical or physiological: Doctor Bones, Doctor Nuckells, Doctor Shinn and Doctor Bowell, for example, not to mention Lungs, Livers and Lights.

Doctor Sales is not a name to quarrel with, and the same may be said of Doctor Seltzer and Doctor Seidlitz. Doctor Tarwater, Doctor Rootes and Doctor Bitters have an innocent sound, but what shall be said of Doctor Boozer, Doctor Bullard, Doctor Kilpatrick, Doctor Duffer, Doctor Hornblower, Doctor Lepper and Doctor Swindell?

The list contains one Doctor Honesty, but it is doubtful whether he deserves that honorable title better than do several of his professional brethren, who frankly call themselves Doctor Nostrum, Doctor Able, Doctor Good and Doctor Noble are perhaps not Pharisees, and Doctor Newbill, Doctor McAffee and Doctor Doller may not be more mercenary than Doctor Smith nor Doctor Brown.

MASCULINE WOMEN.

They Are Strong Only with Other Women and with Womanish Men.

To every distinct quality belongs its own kingdom. The woman who can stride round her farm and keep her workmen in proper subjection, who can drive her yoke of oxen afield, red and blowsed and muscular, has her own rule and empery; but it is not of the sort of which we are speaking. There was not, perhaps, much womanliness about such individuals as Elizabeth of England, or Catherine of Russia, or Christina of Sweden; all their lovers put together could not give them a charm they did not possess—the charm of Mary Stuart, of Josephine; for the possession of lovers by no means proves the possession of this charm. Yet where one accomplished her ends by mastery of purpose and manner, many women accomplish theirs by using the iron hand, it may be, but always in the velvet glove; their will is no less strong because it is not made evident in season and out of season, although, in fact, the graceful yielding of that will now and then is a strengthener of all the bonds by which empire is held.

The masculine woman is strong only with other women and with womanish men. The womanly woman conquers every one. With men her power is in the inverse ratio of her approach to anything resembling themselves; the woman, not the man in her, attracts; and, singularly enough, her power is greater with most women also from this heightening of her feminine side. This, however, is a very insignificant matter beside the circumstance that a woman is fulfilling her destiny, and living the life appointed her, and developing herself on the lines of nature, by keeping in view the greater use she can be, and the greater joy and comfort she can give, through the exercise of those traits which seem to have been set apart for her characterization. And if it is the intention of nature that the qualities of the sexes shall so differentiate, it is not the part of wisdom for her to contravene such intention and make of herself that conglomerate and hybrid thing, a masculine woman. The old story of the vine and the oak does not come into this question. In the womanly woman the growth is as strong and integral and self-supporting as it is in the manly man. She is as distinct an entity, and she is more in unison with eternal purposes and the creative power, the more utterly and thoroughly she is womanly. —Harper's Bazar.

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People appear to think that, while good manners should be strenuously exacted from children, precept in this connection may stand instead of example, and that orders may be given them and remarks made upon them as if they were devoid of natural feelings and perceptions. As a matter of fact, if, when people want children to do something for them, they would ask it in the same way in which they would address an equal, if they would thank them for little services rendered, speak to them gently, answer their reasonable questions civilly, and avoid unnecessary comments upon their appearance, they would have far less trouble in teaching them to behave with like consideration for others.—Once a Week.

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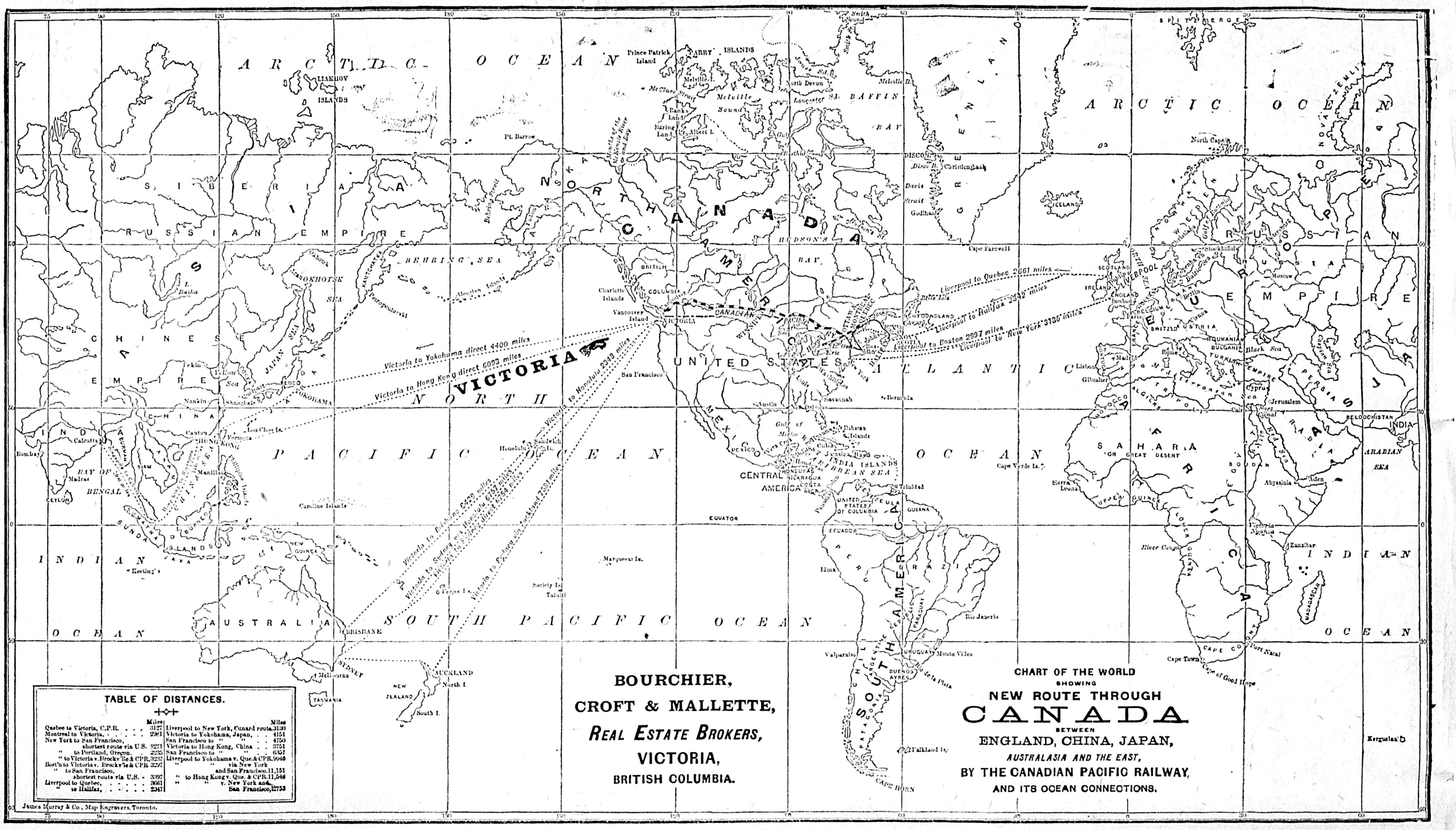

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IN DISTRESS.

The San Francisco Steamer Salino has a Rough Experience in the Gale.

Capt. George Alexander, of the little fishing steamer Salino of San Francisco, tells a thrilling story of the fury of the recent gale, which caused him to put into Victoria yesterday morning in distress. He has had charge during the season of the twenty fishing boats and forty men of the Pacific Steam Fishing and Whaling Co., and the work for the year being over, started in ballast for his home in San Francisco late in August.

His first experience with particularly bad weather was on September 1, about 150 miles south of Middleton Island. The steamer, a little thing of less than 50 tons, was there laid to for eighteen hours, during which time the forward bulwarks were stove in. The next gale came from the southeast and caught the Salino 150 miles northwest of Queen Charlotte Islands. For six hours a furious hurricane raged; the wheel chain parted and the gratings were lost. The anchor dragged about 25 miles, and a heavy cross sea swept the boat—heavy enough to drown any ordinary boat of the Salino's size.

Last on the list was a gale on the 6th of October, which set in from the south-west, and then veered to the north-west. The steamer was then off the southern end of Queen Charlotte Island about 100 miles. The storm raged for three hours, stove in the midship bulwarks, and started the boiler. The barometer registered 28.90, and in ten hours had risen to 30.40, and still going up. The steamer was laid-to for twenty-four hours, and only by putting out a second drag the steamer was saved from the storm.

Capt. Alexander says that in thirty years afloat, he has never seen such a gale; and he never wished to see another like it. The water, literally, rolled mountains high, and had one wave struck the Salino full she would never have risen again. By a miracle no lives were lost, and beyond the breaking of the bolts and braces of the boiler, no injury of consequence was done the boat. All reckonings were lost, and as no sight of the sun or north star was obtainable, the Captain was forced to steer a course by instinct and guess work combined. Luckily it proved a correct one and he reached here although almost out of coal. His damages were partially made good yesterday, and he leaves this morning for San Francisco.

He reports that the season just closed has been a hard one for fish near Prince William. The king salmon in the Copper river were almost an entire failure, and the red about as bad. Silver salmon were a common catch, but nothing particularly good.

MR. CROWTHER SPEAKS.

TO THE EDITOR:—In Tuesday morning's issue Mr. Phillips claimed to be awarded first prize for engraving at the exhibition. The judges awarded it to me, and Mr. Phillips can claim the prize for wax and seal impressions, which the catalogue did not call for, but the best assortment of engraving. I had specimens of work in wood and all kinds of metals. He violated rule No. 9, which states that no ribbon, brand or mark will be allowed on articles until judged and prizes awarded, which he did by having his name on the cases.

GEORGE CROWTHER,
Engraver, 117 Fort street.

Victoria, October 9.

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

THE FALL RACES.

To-day the fall races of the Victoria Jockey Club will be commenced at the Driving Park, where good sport is promised both to-day and to-morrow. Music will be provided and the street cars will make special trips to accommodate the public. The following is the official programme for to-day's meeting of the Victoria Jockey Club:—

NO. 1—TROTTING AND PACING RACE, 2:40 CLASS, 3 IN 5 HEATS.

P.G.A.R., ch	Gray
Stanwood Boy, srl. g	Black
Albert W, bay s	Green
Donald, bay G	Black Cap

NO. 2.—RUNNING ¾ MILE AND REPEAT.

John L., bay g	Red, White and Blue
Joe Wynne, brown g	Dark Blue
Nellie Kenney, brown m	
Sugar in the Barrel, srl.g	White
Lumpy, srl. g	Blue and Red

NO. 3.—TROTTING AND PACING, 2:50 CLASS.

Diamond, bay g	Blue
Vancouver Dan	Mixed
Lady Knox, brown m	Black
Maude C, bay m	Red
Wanda, bay m	Gray

NO. 4.—RUNNING ONE MILE DASH—STALLIONS ONLY.

Cyclone, brown s	Red and Blue
Ito, bay s	Red, Blue and White
Capt. Larey, bay s	Red and White

About $2,000 worth of pools for the races to-day were sold last evening, the sale being monotonously dull. In the trotting Diamond was named as a favorite; in the mile running, Cyclone sold favorite, with Joe Wynne second; Joe Wynne is favorite for the three-eights, and Ito and Cyclone for the stallion race.

HERE AND THERE.

The quarter-mile race which was to have come off at the Driving park yesterday was cancelled.

Last night's steamers from the Sound brought a large delegation of sports for the races. Among them were a number of well-known horsemen, and Cameron, Richardson and Rowe, late of the wrestling fraternity.

CRICKET.

A general meeting of the Beresford Cricket club will be held at the office of Messrs. Crane, McGregor & Boggs, Broad street, this evening at 8 o'clock, to transact important business.

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" Kingston	"	Port Townsend.
" Olympian	"	"
" Islander	"	Vancouver.
" Umatilla	"	Port Townsend.

LOCAL.

Steamer R. P. Rithet has tied up for the winter in the Outer harbor.

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PERSONAL.

J. D. Cuthbert, of Portland, Oregon, is in the city.

Col. Hutchins, of England, is a guest at the Clarence.

C. F. Clapp came over from the Sound last evening.

M. M. English and wife, and Miss English are in town.

Mayor Grant returned from the Sound last evening by the Kingston.

W. C. Haywood was a passenger inward on the Kingston last evening.

Lieut.-Governor and Mrs. Nelson returned from the Mainland last night.

Simon Leiser, A. W. Jones and E. V. Bodwell were passengers by the Islander last night.

George Riley, secretary of the S. & O., came down from the line of construction last evening.

Mrs. T. C. Platt, wife of Senator Platt, with her son and daughter-in-law, H. B. and Mrs. Platt, have been visiting Victoria for several days past. They left for the East this morning.

Sir George Baden-Powell and party, who expected to leave for the East this morning, have extended their visit, in order to meet Admiral Hotham when the Warspite returns to Esquimalt.

M. Adler, of the Mendelssohn Quintette Club, is at the Driard. He is here to make arrangements for the celebrated musical organization with which he is connected, appearing at The Victoria very shortly.

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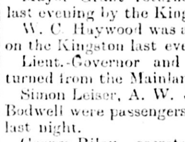

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